

# DYNAMITE USED IN PHILADELPHIA

## NIGHT EDITION CARS DYNAMITED

### More Excitement in Connection With Philadelphia Strike

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—Apparently having failed to settle the car strike in this city, John D. Mitchell, accompanied by Dennis Hayes, fourth vice president of the American Federation of Labor, went to New York today. It is rumored that a meeting of labor leaders may be held in that city today and another effort made to bring about a settlement.

It is understood the leaders of the car strike insist that the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. restore the strikers to their old runs, and while the company is still willing to re-employ all the strikers it is known it will not displace men employed since the beginning of the strike in favor of any of the old employees.

Five cars were dynamited in the northern portion of the city last night and early today. Windows were shattered but no one was injured. The company has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of any one placing explosives on the tracks.

Notwithstanding that the police department has refused a permit for a parade of women sympathizers of the strikers on Saturday, preparations for the march are being made. The police are making preparations to stop the parade.

## BROKE INTO STORE

### Burglar Caught In the Act by Officer Dooley

### Man Broke Into Wire Shop and Stole Brass—Man on Verge of Delirium Thought He Was Being Murdered

Napoleon Jolly after smashing in the glass panel of the door of the store of Arthur Lobianco at the corner of Pawtucket and Moody streets about midnight last night, crawled through the opening and was in the act of looting the store when Mr. Lobianco who occupies the tenement over the store was attracted by the noise and hastily dressing himself went downstairs.

As he reached the store door he saw the form of a man on the inside and was about to enter the place when Patrolman Jeremiah Dooley out in an appearance and the latter entered the store and found Jolly helping himself to cigars and candy.

In court this morning Jolly was charged with breaking and entering and the larceny of seven cigars, each cigar of the value of five cents. He entered a plea of guilty and stated that he was drunk at the time.

The court declined jurisdiction and finding probable cause for guilt held the man under \$500 bonds for his appearance before the grand jury.

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## FIRE IN SCHOOL KAISER BLAMED

### The Pupils Marched Out For Relation Between in Safety U. S. and Japan

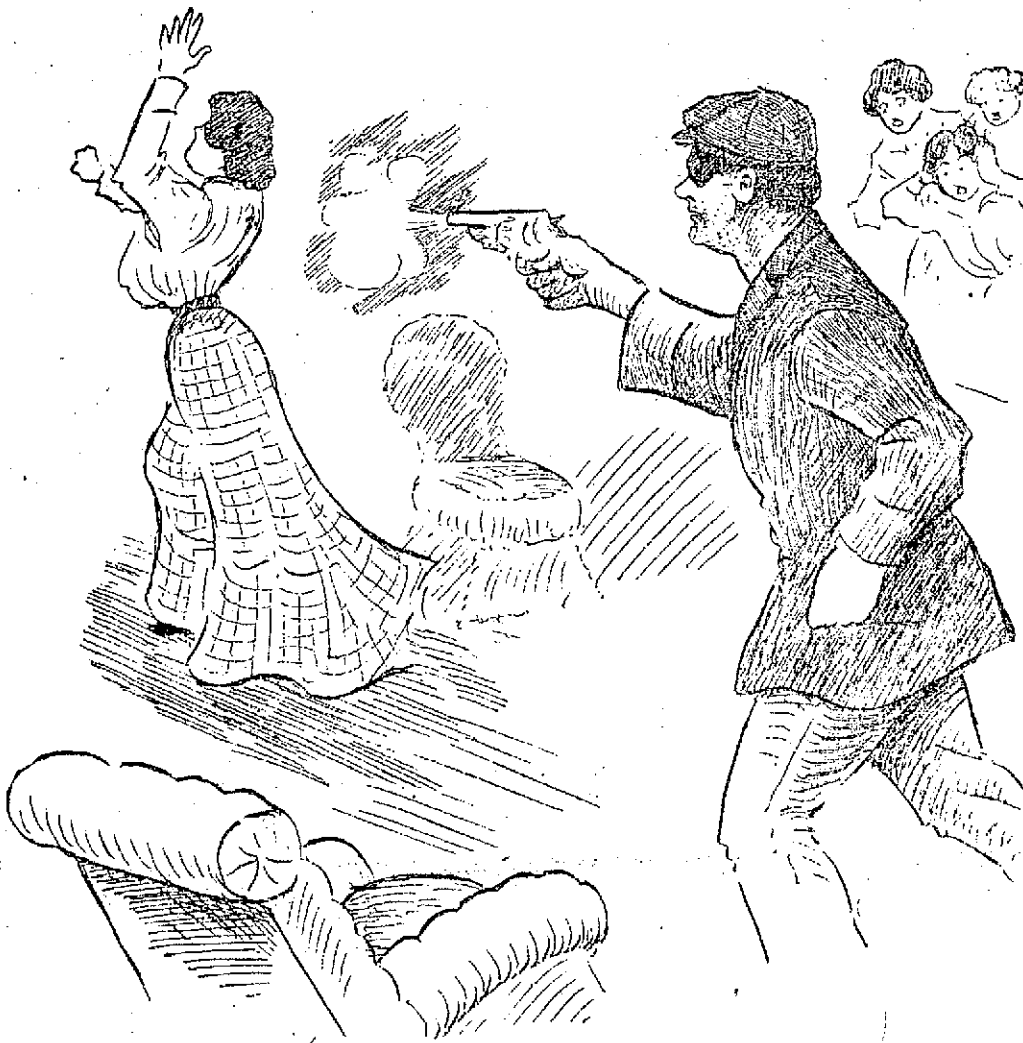
WAKEFIELD, April 1.—So well had Miss Abbie Gardner, the principal of the Hamilton street school, drilled her scholars that when a fire broke out in the basement today the entire school of 300 marched out as if in practice. Miss Gardner was the last to leave the building which was rapidly filling with smoke but the department made short work of a large pile of rubbishy stuff in the basement.

PROF. WILSON HONORED  
PROVIDENCE, April 1.—Prof. Geo. G. Wilson of Brown university has been honored by being elected an associate of the Institute de Droit International, according to notices received here today. Prof. Wilson, who is recognized as one of the leading authorities on international law in this country, was one of three chosen from the western hemisphere.

All roads to Associate, Sat. night.

## MASKED BURGLAR NEW AUTOMOBILE

### Purchased for Supt. Thomas of the Water Dept.



THE MURDER BY A MASKED BURGLAR AT SPRINGFIELD LAST NIGHT.

## Killed One Woman and Probably Fatally Injured Another

SPRINGFIELD, April 1.—Miss Martha B. Blackstone, 35, was shot and instantly killed, and Miss Harriet Dow was removed to the Springfield hospital in a dying condition last night, following an encounter with a masked burglar in the home of Mrs. Sarah J. Dow in Round Hill shortly before 8 o'clock.

The scene of the shooting is in one of Springfield's fashionable sections.

The man who did the shooting had evidently concealed himself in the house before supper.

Mrs. Dow, her daughters, Harriet and Lucy, had retired with Miss Blackstone to the sitting room, and were putting together jigsaw puzzles when the man sprang from behind a screen and, leveling a pistol at the four women, demanded money.

Mrs. Dow managed to gasp, "We have no money," and Miss Blackstone, terribly frightened, arose and ran screaming toward the reception room.

The burglar turned on her savagely, exclaiming, "If you want to die, keep on yelling," and fired at her, the bullet entering her left breast, penetrating her heart, and killing her instantly.

With this he whirled around and before the horrified woman knew what was coming, fired at Miss Dow.

The bullet struck her on the left side of the head and she fell to the floor.

The man then turned and disappeared through the front door. None of the women could give an accurate description of the burglar.

Miss Blackstone was the daughter of Charles J. Blackstone, a retired hardware dealer, living at 25 Elliott street. She graduated from Smith college in 1883 and has since been teaching in the local schools.

The man who did the shooting is about 5 feet 10 inches in height, is wearing a black slouch hat and black clothes and appeared to be about 22 years old. Dark cloth covered the lower part of his face.

The description answers in a general way to the man who committed numerous crimes last year and for whom the police are still looking.

The death of Miss Blackstone was instantaneous and from an examination of the body, made later last night, it was evident that the burglar before he fired must have advanced into the room to intercept the fleeing girl and shot at close range as the powder blackened her dress.

The murderer, after the second shot ran to the front door, leaped over the piazza railing and ran swiftly away in the darkness. No clues have been obtained by the police as to the identity of the murderer, although it is generally believed that he is the same masked man who terrorized the city last fall, when depredations in the Round Hill section, one of the wealthiest parts of the city, were frequent.

The deadly aim of the two shots that the murderer fired lead the police to believe that he must have been thoroughly familiar with firearms.

His footprints, traced in the soft earth outside the entrance which he leaped, were far apart, and he evidently ran like a trained athlete on the balls of his feet only, as no traces of heels could be discovered.

### NO TRACE AS YET OF THE MURDERER

SPRINGFIELD, April 1.—The wounds of Miss Harriet P. Dow, caused by a masked burglar's revolver which killed Miss Martha Blackstone at Miss Dow's home last night, will probably not result fatally. It was stated at the Springfield hospital today that the young school teacher was very slightly injured and resting comfortably. The police had found no traces of the man who broke into the Dow home on Round Hill last evening and shot the girls as they were seated in the living room with Miss Dow's mother and sister. The escape was ac-

Supt. Thomas of the water department has a new automobile, a model 16 Buick, 30 horse power. The requisition for the machine was made March 17 and the order for the purchase was signed by the purchasing agent a few days ago. The machine is of the roadster type with removable tonneau. The price of the machine is \$1750.

The following contracts have been awarded by the purchasing agent:

For 500 barrels cement, for the sewer department, Edward Cawley; 10,000 lineal feet edgestone, H. V. Hildreth; sewer pipe, 500 feet 6 inch, 300 feet 8 inch, 500 ft. 10 inch, 200 feet 12 inch, 500 feet 15 inch, and 500 feet 18 inch, Edward Cawley.

The contract for sewer castings, manhole frames, covers and steps, catch basin frames and covers was awarded the Union Iron Foundry; car of hay for health department, Wilder

& Wotton; car of hay for street department, Joseph Mullin.

Office and Workshop  
The Lowell Gas Light company has been granted a permit to build an office in School street, corner of Perrin street. The building will be 55 by 55 feet, two stories, flat roof. The estimated cost is \$1400.

David Ziskind is building a storehouse in Hale street. The building will be 80 by 40 feet, one story.

Daniel Smith will build a two family house in Gray street. The house will be 24 by 51 feet and the estimated cost is \$3000.

Aphonse Ribault is remodeling a building in Ford street, adding a story and making accommodations for three families instead of two as heretofore.

John P. Quinn is building a three-story, three-family house in Carter street. The building will be 23 by 49 feet and the estimated cost is \$5000.

## CLARENCE F. GLOVER

### Victim of a "Frame-up," Says Richard Blackmore

CAMBRIDGE, April 1.—"I am in a terrible fix. It means for me either state prison, being shot or signing away my life or rights," was the statement attributed to Clarence F. Glover, the murdered Waltham laundryman, by Richard Blackmore of South Boston in his testimony given in the probate court today in the hearing on the attempt of several of Glover's brothers to break the laundryman's will. This statement, said the witness, was made to him by Glover one night last April in a Boston hotel, shortly after Mrs. Glover had accused her husband of impropriety with "Hattie" Leblanc, the French Canadian servant in the Glover family, who is now being held for trial on the charge of murdering Glover.

Blackmore testified that he was an

"investigator" but not a detective and that Glover had asked his assistance. Glover told the witness that the charges against him were false, but that he could not discharge Hattie, inasmuch as she spoke French and he did not. The witness said that at first he did not believe Glover but later he was of the opinion that the man was telling the truth and that he was the victim of a "frame-up." He met Glover a second time in the fall and was engaged by the laundryman in November to investigate Mrs. Glover's conduct, Glover hoping the witness said, to be able to discover something incriminating about his wife to offset the charge she had made against him. Glover was murdered, however, before Blackmore did any work for him.

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# MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, JR., IN FANCY COSTUME



RENO, Nev., April 1.—The Werrum home here has been prepared for the arrival of "some wealthy eastern woman," who will join the divorce colony here. That the "wealthy eastern woman" is Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., is accepted here notwithstanding the denials of Mrs. Vanderbilt, who is now in California. From New York comes the report that the

## SALEM'S MAYOR Wants Investigation of Water Board

SALEM, April 1.—At the meeting of the aldermen last night the deadlock over the choice of an assistant en-

close friends of the couple have known for some time that their married life has been unhappy. Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was Virginia Fair, left New York suddenly ten days ago, going to California, as she then said, to rest her nerves. The couple were married April 1, 1899, and a year ago a disagreement was reported when Mrs. Vanderbilt went to Europe and Mr. Vanderbilt on a yachting tour of the West Indies.

user of the fire department was broken and Edward W. Hay was elected. Geo. S. Munroe was nominated for register of voters for three years. An order was adopted appropriating \$4500 for an automobile chemical engine. Mayor Howard submitted a recommendation, which was adopted, that the affairs of the water department be investigated for the purpose of saving money in management, also economy in water supply. The mayor also recommended that the office of superintendent of lamps and lighting be abolished.

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## DIAMOND NOTES

The time for offering bids for the privileges at Spaulding park closes this evening at 8.30 and the contract will be let out without delay. Much progress is being made on the grounds and they will surely be in shape for the opening game, one week from Saturday.

The Lawrence Eagle: Manager Jimmy Bannon of the Lawrence team has swung the axe in good style and Wednesday morning he announced that he had released 13

players of those who were due to report in this city on Monday. The players are all new ones, signed since last season. The manager felt that the squad had to be cut down somewhere, as it would be impossible to bring on the large number he had signed. He intends to have only 25 players report. Of the players released all are released outright with the exception of McGinn, whom Lawrence has only loaned out to the Grand Rapids club of the Central league.

Manager Bannon expects pitcher Arthur Goodwin today and if he ar-

rives they will work out at Glen Forest. The grounds are being put into shape and Groundkeeper Jimmy Murphy will have everything in first class condition. The seats are being installed. Manager Bannon will suggest some changes at the grounds.

The men released are as follows: Alex McGinn, first baseman, who has played with Toronto in the Eastern league and the Chicago City league, is let out to the Grand Rapids club of the Central league. Lawrence still holding a string on the player; Arthur D. Cassell, Melrose, an outfielder; Ralph Cox, Homer, N. Y., first baseman, who played last year with New Haven in the Connecticut league; Earl Barton, Beverly, a catcher; John H. Cronin, Malden, pitcher; Morgan Evans, Philadelphia, third baseman; A. H. Stackpole, Lebanon, Me., pitcher; George Stewart, Philadelphia, pitcher; R. H. Chapman, Auburn, Me., first base man; Henry O'Brien, Dorchester, pitcher; A. J. Pecard, Derry, N. H., outfielder.

Jack Conroy of Portland, Me., has signed to play first base with Haverhill. He is a brother of big Pat Conroy, formerly of Lawrence, and to his Tommy Caterson, formerly of Brockton.—Brockton Times.

Ralph Cutting and Sam Frook worked for the Pittsburg scrubs against the regulars at Hot Springs recently and the regulars won, 17 to 4. Another pitcher was also tried out.

Manager O'Brien of Fall River is looking for a catcher in allowing Solbra, the first baseman, to connect with the Rockland, Ill., team of the Three-I league. That club has a catcher named Kurke whom O'Brien wants. Bob Vance of the Dean academy nine has accepted Fall River's terms.

Referee Rorty of the league staff and Bob Hart of Pawtucket will get their eyes on the ball for the coming season's work as umpires by officiating as arbitrators in the exhibition games of the Hartford team of the Connecticut league, working together. Rorty is on the New England staff of umpires and Hart will be on the roster of the Connecticut league.

Frank Courtney, the old Haverhill player, is making good with the St. Louis Cardinals. A show man stopped in Worcester the other day and there he said that he had just come from the training ground of the Cardinals. He says that the St. Louis management is satisfied with Courtney and is showing up and he may make good with that team. Courtney is the old Lawrence player. He was with Haverhill the past two years, where he did splendid work.

Fall River looks like a good team for this season. O'Brien has secured a number of youngsters who have made records in semi-independent teams. O'Brien has a knack of getting clever youngsters and he may add a few more to his long list.—Lawrence Eagle.

Says the Lynn News: Shanny Murch is with first squad of the Indianapolis club that is training through the south preparatory to the opening of the season in the American association which is only a fortnight away, and is making good in all departments, having played third base and showed up well when shifted to first because of Charley Carr's illness.

The Indianapolis squad finished training last Monday, and split at Waco, Texas, into two squads, Murch going with the first one to San Antonio, where they played last Monday and won 5 to 2. Carr was sick and Murch played first with good success, scoring twice himself and knocking in two runs with long drives. Leonon, a young catcher, sprained his ankle during the game, and Indianapolis finished the game with Tom McCarthy, former Boston National pitcher, who was traded with a Connecticut league team for Buck O'Brien, playing third. After the game Jack Hayden and Frank Bowman were taken sick, and the next day they played Detroit. Jennings loaned the crippled team a catcher and first baseman and outfielder and the Tigers were beaten by the patched up Class A team, 1 to 6. Murch played third, got a hit and played a good

fielding game. Wednesday they played at Houston and lost, 3 to 2. Houston had to loan Indianapolis a catcher, and the latter club played pitchers at third and right field. Dan Howley and Howard Wakefield are with the No. 2 team. Spencer, the outfielder, who used to play with Lynn, is with the other team and showing up finely. Chadbourne is with the Indianapolis squad also.

## ELEANORA SEARS

Trying to Complete  
Walk of 108 Miles

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—In an attempt to cover the 108 miles between Burlingame and Delmonico in 55 hours, Miss Eleanora Sears of Boston, who began the journey yesterday morning at six o'clock reached Murran Hill at 10.55 last night after a tramp of 55 miles. Though footsore and weary Miss Sears refused to give up her hunt and after partaking of light refreshment resumed the road.

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Brandreth's Pills	15c
Schenck's Pills	15c
Dr. Witt's Kidney Pills	33c
Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets	34c, 67c
Varnes	34c, 69c
Sal Hepatica	17c, 36c, 76c
Bromo Seltzer	7c, 15c, 37c, 69c
Atwood's Bitters	17c
Malted Milk, Horlick's	33c, 65c
Falwell's Syrup	99c
Swamproot	34c, 67c
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Pears' Soap, Scented	15c
Pears' Soap, Unscented	10c
Comfort Powder	16c, 35c
Corylopsis	9c
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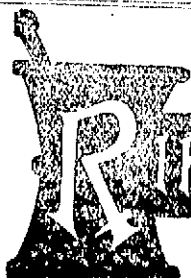
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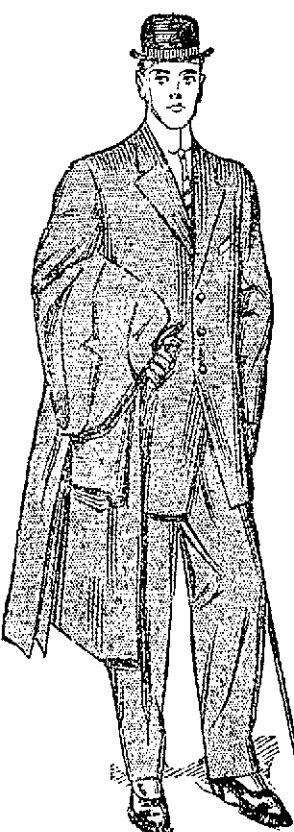
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# TO IMPROVE STREETS

## Hearings Given on a Number of Petitions Last Night

The committee on streets met at the city hall last night and gave a public hearing on petitions for street improvements. Streets mentioned in the petitions were visited by the committee during the afternoon. A very few remonstrants appeared at the hearing last night and despite the number of petitions the hearing was not a very long one.

James Dow and others petitioned that the lines of Wilder and South Wilder streets be defined. J. A. Henderson and others asked that South Wilder street be laid out from Parker street to Midland street. It was said that school children have been obliged, in bad weather, to walk through slush and water on their way to school. Col. Carmichael wanted to know why the petitioners did not come to city hall and object to the building of a school below the level of the street. He said he had voted against the proposition when he was in the city government, because he knew the location was unfit for a school. Several of the petitioners said they did not know that their children were to be transferred from the Highland school. Joseph Fay said he would ask for a fair amount for his land in that locality. Joseph Chouinard and others wanted Avon street accepted from Fourth avenue to Seventh avenue. The petition was well supported. George W. Poore appeared as a remonstrant.

The committee held a business meeting following the hearing and its action on petitions was as follows: Patrick Joyce's petition asking the city to re-arrange the grade of England street, was referred to the city solicitor on the question of the city's liability. E. G. Baker was given leave to withdraw on his petition to accept B street. The petition relating to Thayer street was referred to the superintendent of streets. James P. Ramsay's petition to widen the sidewalk in Chelmsford street near Thorndike street and the stairway leading to the depot was referred to the superintendent of streets. Agent Taft of the Boston & Maine railroad said the road intended to rebuild the fence on the line. Michael Feldman's petition was granted. Hon. John J. Pickman's petition for curbing in Anne street was referred to the engineer for an estimate. The committee voted to accept Avon street.

A sidewalk in Gates street was voted. Favorable action was taken on two petitions headed by John W. Walcott for the acceptance of a portion of Marsh street and a sidewalk in front of his premises in School street. The acceptance of Stackpole street was discussed, and a committee comprising Alderman Gray and Councilman Donohoe and Engineer Bowers was appointed to consider the matter of an obstruction in the form of a house owned by George Hussian. The question of defining the lines of Wilder and South Wilder streets was brought up. Councilman Dow said land owners were demanding far more than the assessed value of their property. Col. Carmichael said he would not favor \$8000 or \$10,000 for this land. On motion of Councilman Dow a committee of three was appointed to look into land damages and other details connected with the work. Councilmen Genest, Dow and Donohoe were named. The chair and the city civil engineer

were appointed to interview the Shaw stock people relative to New Fletcher street. On petition of Josephine Baker, the sidewalk at 21-23 Grace street was accepted. Leave to withdraw was granted on the petition to accept Stratham street, the street not being at grade. Leave to withdraw in the Apple street petition was granted. Woodward avenue and Starbird street residents asked for macadam, and the petition was referred to the superintendent with the suggestion that gravel be laid. The petition of P. O'Hearn for macadamizing Riverside street was referred to the superintendent with the recommendation that he place it in good condition. Similar action was taken in the petition to place edge stones and concrete in Gates street. Alderman Gray suggested a loan for macadamizing. Col. Carmichael said there was a precedent, but he didn't consider it a permanent improvement. The committee agreed that it would be necessary to borrow money for

macadamizing and it was decided to ask the city engineer for estimates of the cost of macadamizing a number of streets. Estimates were asked for macadamizing Stevens and Smith streets, Butler avenue, and Common street. The engineer was also asked to prepare an estimate of the cost of laying old blocks in Elm street. It was voted to refer a petition to macadamize Florence avenue to the next year's government. A petition for permission to erect a temporary bridge across Bridge street to the Massachusetts storehouse was referred to the city solicitor and the city civil engineer. The question of street watering assessments was taken up. City Engineer Bowers said the last man receiving the service on the street did not receive much benefit from the service, for the reason that the dust blows from the street where it is not wet down. The engineer suggested that the carts pass beyond the line for a short distance. The matter was left to the superintendent.

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### FANCY STRIPED SERGE

The popular dark suit this season will be the new fancy stripe serges. All the stores show them, but the price is usually from \$15 to \$20. We bought a big lot of them way under price and place them on sale this week in men's and young men's sizes, all made on the latest models and worth at retail today \$15. Our price.....

\$9.75

### Fancy Worsted Suits

Strictly all wool, in the new spring colorings, self stripes and fancy stripes, made on men's and young men's models. Suits you will pay \$12, \$15 and \$18 for in other stores, but we are making a special showing of extra good suits at a low price and offer these at

\$9.75, \$12.75

### THE GOLD BOND SUIT

No other suit in the world can compare with the "Gold Bond" Suit for the price. Think of an all wool worsted suit without a single thread of cotton, guaranteed fast color, made in a manner to render the very best service—a suit which carries our confidence to the point of issuing with each suit A Gold Bond agreeing to give a new suit or twelve dollars and fifty cents in gold to any purchaser of our gold bond suit whose purchase does not prove as warranted upon return of suit with gold bond (properly dated) before August 1st, 1910. The Gold Bond Suit is \$20.00 On sale at.....

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### The Glengarriff Serge

When we say to you that the "Glengarriff" Serge Suit is equal to any twenty dollar serge sold in New England, we say it not for effect, but because it is absolutely true. We have the exclusive sales of this superb serge for Lowell. The Glengarriff will prove one of the best Serge Suits that you ever wore and is positively worth \$20 of anybody's money. for.....

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Style 444 heads the list of good Derbies—it's the Hat that looks and wears like a \$3 Hat and costs but

\$2.00

"The Tex Derby" and Lamson & Hubbard" are big sellers and correct styles at....

\$3.00

The Stetson Special and Stetson Derby are the finest in both style and quality—the best hat made at

\$3.50 and \$5.00

Young Men's Soft Hats in twenty different colors and as many shapes at

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00

## YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

In the new gray cheviot mixtures. The swellest fabrics shown this season. New colorings and new patterns. Made on the latest young men's models, they are stunning suits for nobby dressers. Snappy styles, not extreme or freakish, but the latest out. We show a fine variety of these new suits at

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A Big Variety of "Good Clothes" to Choose From

Knickerbocker Suits from.....\$2.50 up to \$12  
Juvenile Suits from.....\$2.50 up to \$7  
Blue Serge Suits, all wool and fast colors, at \$3.75, \$5, \$6, \$7 up to \$10  
Knicker Suits, with extra trousers, at \$3.75 and \$5  
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Given away in our Boys' Department. Bats, Balls, Gloves, Mitts and Masks.



# THE TALBOT CLOTHING CO.

The Store That's Light as Day  
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# BIG YEAR CLOSED

## Annual Meeting of Vesper Country Club

Reports Showed That Past Year Was Most Successful in History of Organization—Col. A. M. Chadwick Re-elected President

The Vesper Country club held its 35th annual meeting at the club house at Tyngs island last evening with an attendance of 150 members. Prior to the business meeting, the annual dinner was held, Superintendent Clough offering an innovation in the shape of a seafood menu, with champagne and broiled live lobsters as features. Between the courses there was "congregational" singing without limit led by Buckley's orchestra. Before the business meeting started Secretary Andrew G. Swapp by unanimous demand sang his annual song "Alone" with all the harmony that the title suggests.

Shortly after 8 o'clock President Alfred M. Chadwick called to order and spoke briefly stating that the reports would show to what extent the club had advanced. The annual reports were then in order.

Treasurer Arthur J. Munkland gave his annual report. The assets total \$42,646.21 and the liabilities showed \$12,970.45 less than the assets. The net liabilities are \$29,675.76. The detailed report of the income showed annual income of all sorts to be \$17,080. Every department of the club showed a profit for the year with earnings of \$23,611.65. The expenditures totaled \$21,428.59, giving a balance to profit and loss of \$2,183.06.

Of the expenditures \$554.50 was for permanent improvements. Of the receipts \$2000 was from the Locks and Canals for water damage. Deducting this from the net result showed a profit of \$185.56.

Suspension bridge bonds to the amount of \$5000 were redeemed and clubhouse bonds amounting of \$2000 were redeemed.

The auditing committee not only approved the treasurer's report, but recommended that he be paid a sum more commensurate with his work and ability. The recommendation was unanimously adopted and placed in the hands of the executive committee. The treasurer's report was accepted.

Secretary Andrew G. Swapp gave his annual report which was accepted.

The committee on by-laws reported the changes which were subsequently adopted. Under the changes the active membership is limited to 400 and the

non-resident members to the same figure, and the dues to be paid by the latter shall be one-half the sum paid by resident members.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following for executive committee: Alfred M. Chadwick, president; Gilbert Hill, Andrew G. Swapp, Harry E. Shaw, John K. Whittier, Joseph Peabody, William T. Patten, Arthur T. Safford, Arthur J. Munkland.

The members of the old executive committee who retire are Thomas Nesmith and Edward Billingswood, and on motion the thanks of the club were given them for years of efficient service.

John A. Faulkner and Julian K. Kees were re-elected auditors with the thanks of the club for their work.

On motion of R. W. Thomson, a motion of appreciation was given to Stuart and Mrs. Frank L. Clough.

Votes of thanks were then passed to the officers and executive committee. The members discussed the limitations which should be set in case of future events, like the auto races that would make the island a delightful place to locate.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 and the executive committee organized as follows: President, Alfred M. Chadwick; vice presidents, James Gilbert Hill and Arthur T. Safford; secretary, Andrew G. Swapp; treasurer, Arthur J. Munkland; greens committee, John K. Whittier; golf committee, Joseph Peabody; house committee, Harry E. Shaw; committee on tent sites, Andrew G. Swapp; committee on permanent improvements, Messrs. Shaw, Safford and Swapp; entertainment committee, William T. Patten. The remainder of the night was spent in song and story.

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## BRILLIANT MUSIC

At Song Recital of E. N. C. Barnes

A song recital of a high order was given in Colonial hall last evening by Edwin N. C. Barnes, basso, who has recently opened a studio in this city, assisted by Mr. Jacques Hoffman, violinist of the Boston Symphony orchestra, and Misses Furbush, pianist. The audience was not as large as the program deserved, but those who were present were amply repaid for their attendance. Mr. Barnes possesses a most agreeable presence and certainly an excellent voice. His solos were carefully selected and in all he captivated his audience.

His opening brace consisted of old English numbers from "Polly Oliver"—composer unknown—through "Once I Loved a Maiden Fair," an old ballad of the time of King James I and "The Slighted

Swain," and "The Pretty Creature," in arrangements by H. Lane Wilson. He also gave three English sea songs of rollicking tempo and great depth of tone, in which he was particularly good. His final numbers were American songs including the favorite selection—Furbush was a most sympathetic accompanist throughout. Mr. Hoffman aroused the enthusiasm of the audience to a high pitch by the masterful manner in which he performed on the violin. He opened with the sonata in C Minor, first movement by Greig and also gave the

Chopin Nocturne, Mozart's Minuet, and the Barcarolle, Habanera, Adagio Elégique and Souvenir de Moscow. An organ recital was held at the Centralville M. E. church last night which was attended by a large number of lovers of music. Wilfred Karshaw was the organist and the program carried out was varied as well as entertaining. Mrs. Harriet Conant Spaulding, soprano; Warren T. Reid, baritone, and Mrs. Lillian Dodge Haskell, reader, contributed to the program, and were obliged to respond to encores.

John H. Clark, for 14 years janitor at the rooms of the Y. M. C. I., resigned his position last night. A special meeting for board of trustees of the organization will be held in the near future to appoint his successor. John J. Quinn has been taking Mr. Clark's place during the past 10 days. Coughs—No matter how bad—can be relieved at once with Lung Kure.

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### Imported All Wool Taffeta

Beautiful spring creation from one of the best textile mills in France. Pure high grade Australian yarns, rich finish in the newest shades for spring. It is 44 inches wide and the importer never expected to hear of a yard of it being sold for less than \$1.00 \$1.50 a yard. Our price \$1.00

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Mohair brilliantine. The lustrous fleece of the Yorkshire sheep is all right for alpaca, but this mohair brilliantine we speak of is woven of the hair of the Angora goats of Asia Minor. Every woman knows its wearing qualities, its lightness and coolness and how hard it is for dust or soot to lodge on it. 44 inches wide. Made in Bradford-on-Avon to sell for \$1.25 a yard. Our price \$1.00

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### NEW HAMBURGS

In the Basement Saturday 3c yard

Edgings, insertions and bandings. Regular value up to 10c per yard.

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In the Basement Saturday 10c each

Hundreds of Jabots with dainty lace edgings and insertions. Regular 25c value.

### DRESS BUTTONS

In the Basement Saturday 5c dozen

About 50 gross in the lot, assorted styles, the bulk of which are retailed regularly at 25c per dozen.

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In the Basement Saturday 2c card

Various sizes. Everyone guaranteed perfect, black or white. 2 dozen on a card.

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In the Basement Saturday 12½c ea

This is just half price and the price is made special for Saturday. They are worth \$2.00 per dozen wholesale.

### COLORED RIBBONS

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Good range of desirable colors, including qualities retailed as high as 12 1-2c. Splendid for hair ribbons.

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In the Basement Saturday 15c each

Made from good quality corduroy in a good shade of brown. Regular value 25c.

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In the Basement Saturday 8c pair

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### WOMEN'S JERSEY RIBBED SHIRTS

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These are samples of summer underwear and the price is less than half the regular value.

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In the Basement Saturday 7c yard

This is a fresh lot of light or dark colors and same as you usually pay 12 1-2c per yard.

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This is a special value in one pattern only and will be splendid for summer dresses.

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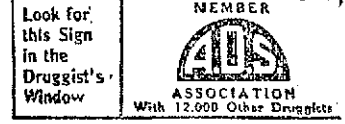
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You may not believe it, but in my Lowell store alone, I have more woollens than most commission houses carry, made by the best mills in this country. Duns, Blackingtons, Strathmores, Wanskucks, Tillotsons, Waterhouses, North Adams Mills, Sharriffs, Johnsons, all favorites in the world's Blue Book, and the styles are all the latest novelties in grays, blue, pencil and shadow stripes—1500 styles to select from.

The goods I sell you are made for all the world's consumption, not especially for me.

A man came into my store yesterday afternoon, a brusque, non-communicative individual, a man who knew his business and who knew he knew it. He was the superintendent of a big woolen mill in a nearby town.

**"Let Me See That Blue Serge for \$12.50 That You Advertise"**

And as I showed him the goods, he pulled from his vest pocket a small magnifying glass and proceeded with his skilful examination. "Take my measure for a suit of it. It's better than I expected even from your advertisement. I didn't believe you could do it."

That man was the quickest buyer I think that I ever saw. He marvelled how I could do it for the money, but that didn't interfere with his knowledge of woollens and values. You may not know woollens as well as he does, but you don't have to. I give you my word that this is our great, unusual offer I am putting out for a purpose that one day means increased business and profits and I want you to be for the time being a walking advertisement. May I ask you to please take the trouble to examine the goods?

**SUIT TO ORDER**  
**\$12.50**

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## INFANT MORTALITY

**Dr. L'Esperance Lectured on the Work of Saving Children**

The illustrated lecture by Dr. O. R. T. L'Esperance of Boston, in the high school hall last night, was both interesting and instructive. His statements regarding infant mortality in Lowell were a bit startling. He said that infant mortality in Lowell is second to Fall River only, in 17 of the largest cities in the Eastern and Middle states.

The speaker was introduced by Sup. A. K. Whitcomb. There was a fairly large audience. The Hospital Guild was well represented. The doctor first indicated the character of the work done in the milk depots by reading an account of a conference of mothers with the physicians in charge. He then quoted from official data, stating that the rate of infant mortality in Lowell is second to Fall River only, in 17 of the largest cities in the Eastern and Middle states.

the babies who are not sick, for the purpose of keeping them well; though much good is accomplished through the conferences, by sending the mothers whose babies do need medical attention to the family physician for treatment.

Dr. L'Esperance said that the work in Lowell would reach all classes of people, and in cosmopolitan Lowell, problems will develop that will be a little different from the problems in most other cities.

He emphasized the importance of rigid milk inspection, showing by pictures the unclean condition of stables and poorly kept cows in contrast with ideal conditions, showing also a few slides giving a general idea of the appearance, under the microscope, of milk containing too large a percentage of bacteria. The fly nuisance was shown on the slides, the fly industriously spreading bacteria.

The milk provided for modification at the milk depots is furnished under contract guaranteeing ideal conditions, the guarantee being for not more than 10 per cent. of bacteria, which is said to be practically perfect.

The committee of the Young Women's hospital guild having charge of the milk depot house, to hold the first conference of mothers next Monday afternoon. The depot will be opened in Market street, between Dutton and Worthen, a location accessible to a large area of congested territory. The room is being put into thoroughly hygienic condition, and once a week the babies will be carried there by their mothers and cards made out, under the doctor's prescription, for exactly the right kind of modified milk for each particular child.

In case a child at the next conference does not show the desired gain, the prescription will be changed. The nurse, Miss Lindsay, will be in charge, to follow out the doctor's orders. In preparing the modified milk, and it will also be a part of her duty to visit the mothers in their homes, and give such assistance and advice as may be necessary.

**"BOB" CHANLER**  
May Become Husband of Mme. Cavaleri

NEW YORK, April 1.—Ex-Sheriff Bob Chanler is a mighty anxious man, and well he might be, April 15 he is to get a cablegram from Europe, and if

Dutchess county, the title still sticking to him. He has some \$3,000,000 to help along his painting fads, and he is a member of the famous Chanler family of New York and Virginia. Mme. Cavaleri has said she liked Sheriff Bob better than any of her army of suitors, but to be married—well, she wanted to think it over, and so she sailed for Europe, promising to send the cable answer by noon, April 15. "And I'll have my bed in the cable office for the next two weeks," admits Sheriff Bob.

**THE ALDERMEN**  
REFUSED TO CONFIRM ASSESSORS NAMED IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, April 1.—The assessors are without the customary six assistants in the work of levying the taxes.

the board of aldermen yesterday afternoon having refused to confirm the appointments recommended by the three assessors. The list was as follows: Dennis Gilmartin, Daniel J. Logan, John Powers, Jeremiah J. Cavanaugh, Albert Moss and Joseph A. Murphy.

The criticism voiced by Alderman Jordan was that the assessors had ignored the aldermen in the selection. Assessor Finn defended the course of the assessors. The session was a special one, the assessors having urged upon Mayor White the need of immediate action after the aldermen had held the names on the table at last Monday night's meeting. Alderman Tobin voted in favor of the list, while Aldermen Callahan, Jordan and Scarron were opposed and Aldermen Ford and Moss did not vote.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**MOTHER IS DEAD**  
And Her Son Committed Suicide

NORTH EASTON, April 1.—Believing that his mother's constant care for him during a two years' illness had hastened her death by apoplexy Wednesday, Frederick B. Hall, 18 years old, son of Samuel W. Hall, yesterday killed himself by shooting. The boy was just recovering from an attack of nervous prostration when his mother died. Mother and son will be buried together.

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We have spent a great deal of time this season in selecting Men's Suits only from the best manufacturers; not how cheap, but how good, has been our aim.

We have assembled a line of the best all wool Suits, that for style and tailoring cannot be surpassed. We make the prices low, and the terms easy. One Dollar a week buys one of these elegant and stylish Suits.

Prices from \$12.00 to \$25.00

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Our Youth's Suits have been selected with the same care as Men's Suits, made especially for us by an exclusive manufacturer of Youth's Men's Clothing. Every garment is up-to-date. We cater for the young men's trade.

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## SALMON FISHING

Was Begun in Penobscot River Today

BANGOR, Me., April 1.—Salmon fishing in the Penobscot was begun today, the law which opens the season going into effect after midnight this morning. The water was clear of ice, contrary to the usual conditions at this date and the casting for the first fish was watched with great interest. The first Penobscot salmon is displayed in the local market and is usually sent away to New York. It always brings a high price.

One of the most popular sports in Maine, salmon fishing on the Penobscot, is slowly becoming a lost pleasure. Dams have made it hard for the salmon to reach the spawning grounds far up the river, poachers have greatly depleted the supply, the black bass have eaten the young fry by the millions and the pulp mills along the river have added their injurious chemicals to the water. The silver-sided, pink-headed fish, detests polluted waters and the number returning to the Penobscot each spring is smaller. Old anglers and students of the salmon say that it is only a question of a few years when there will be no old salmon to pilot the young back to the river and then the Penobscot salmon, famous the country over, will be but a memory.

Next week is "quarter week" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Make that deposit today, however.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Men's Fine Striped Madras, Chambray and Oxford Shirts also plain Chambrays. Price. . . . \$1.00

Men's White Cotton Night Shirts, extra quality material. . . . 50c

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Boys' Bull Dog Caps in fancy tweeds and plain colors. . . . 50c

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Young Men's Fur Felt Caps, light gray. . . \$1.50 to \$2

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NEXT TO THE TRADERS BANK

## BALLINGER HEARING.

Was Resumed With Secretary's Counsel in Charge of Evidence

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The Ballinger hearing went on today with Secretary Ballinger's counsel in charge of the presentation of evidence. The taking of testimony in behalf of the cabinet officer began last Saturday afternoon after Attorney Vertrees had made his opening statement in which he declared that much of the testimony against Mr. Ballinger would be shown to be false, and sharply criticized James H. Garfield and Gifford Pinchot for their share in the attack on the secretary of the interior.

As the hearing progresses indications multiply that the congressional committee so seriously split along party lines that a unanimous report is beyond possibility. The democratic

members have gone so far as to notify their republican colleagues that they will participate in the executive sessions of the committee only upon the understanding that they shall be free to announce their votes and their contentions during the public sittings. The executive sessions have not been very harmonious, especially the one of Saturday last when the question of compelling Secretary Ballinger to testify as the first witness for the defense was under consideration. Following this session the democrats announced that with the exception of Senator Purcell of South Dakota they had voted in favor of compelling the secretary of the interior to appear. Rep. Madison, (Kansas), insurgent, voted with the democrats.

## A STAR WITNESS

Camera Man Tells About Great Sale of Liquor in Maine

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 1.—The most sensational liquor trials in local history were heard before Judge F. J. Cleaves yesterday, when evidence obtained by Sheriff Charles O. Emery and the now famous camera man for violation of the prohibitory law was presented. The police court was crowded throughout the day. There were search and seizures, single sale, common seller and nuisance cases or practically every form known of violation of the Maine liquor law.

The "camera man" who has been obtaining evidence for months was the star attraction. His name is Fred Wayne of Boston and represented himself as a U. S. gypsy moth inspector, and caught some of the insects. He also took pictures of many places where he thought the prohibitory law was violated.

For more interest yesterday was his testimony that he had been a detective in the U. S. district attorney's office at Boston for four years and had worked for corporations and railroads in the same capacity. He had been secured by Sheriff Emery and County Atty. Hobbs to catch violators of the liquor law and established a reputation of being the best witness seen here in many years.

## Severe Sentences Asked

He was accompanied in court yesterday by George E. B. Kingsley of Boston, a ministerial looking young man, while Wayne looked like a respectable player.

Joseph Leclair pleaded guilty to five single sales and in addition was charged with search and seizure and nuisance. County Atty. F. A. Hobbs said a determined effort had been made to secure rigid enforcement with favors shown to none, and asked for a severe sentence, in order to deter others from engaging in the rum business.

He called for jail sentences as well as fines and said that these remarks

would apply to the respondents who came out later as well as to Leclair. Judge Cleaves imposed a fine of \$50 and costs or 30 days in jail on each of the single sales. Leclair was found guilty on the search and seizure charge and fined \$100 and costs or 50 days in jail. The nuisance charge was continued until May under \$500 bail.

## Transactions With Morin

Thomas Morin pleaded not guilty to a charge of pocket peddling and Mr. Wayne came into the courtroom at once. He told of getting acquainted with Morin and asking for a half pint. Morin lifted his coat tail and told him to take the flask from his hip pocket and he did so, giving 25 cents for the liquor. He had pictures taken of Morin. At this point Kingsley testified to buying half pints of liquor of Morin. On each of the single sales he was fined \$50 and costs or 30 days in jail. He was also found guilty on an unlawful possession charge and fined \$100 and costs. He appealed in each case.

Wallace F. Percival, a Main street druggist, was charged with being a common seller. The court found probable cause and ordered him to furnish \$300 bonds for his appearance in May. He waived a hearing on a nuisance charge and was bound over until May. In each of seven single sales Percival was found guilty and fined \$50 and costs in each case.

The bottles of liquor bought of pocket peddlers and druggists by the detectives during their stay in Biddeford filled a big dress suit case.

## SENATOR BILBO

Says He Accepted a Bribe of \$645

JACKSON, Miss., April 1.—Exonerating himself from moral and legal liabilities therefor, on the ground that he was acting as a detective for the Vardaman forces and to prove that bribery was being used in the recent senatorial contest, State Senator Theodore Bilbo appeared before an executive session of the senate last night and told how he had accepted a \$645 bribe from Hon. L. C. Dulaney, a wealthy planter of Issaquena county, to change his vote from former Gov. Vardaman to United States Senator Leroy Percy.

Bilbo was placed on the stand after the adoption of a resolution changing the plan of procedure originally adopted. The attorneys employed by Bilbo, Dulaney and others were excluded from the senate chamber and a resolution was adopted providing that the senate select two of its members to act as attorneys and that Bilbo be permitted to select two colleagues to act in the same capacity for him. Bilbo, it is said, told the senate that it was first suggested to him in January that he might sell his vote for a good sum; that he appeared before a person with Dulaney through another person but this arrangement failed and he finally opened negotiations direct.

## PLEASANT SURPRISE

TENDERED MR. AND MRS. E. K. BALDWIN

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Baldwin were most pleasantly surprised by their fellow members of the Oakland Book club at the club meeting held Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fleming in Parkview avenue when they were presented one of the Lester G. Hornly exchanges from the collection now at the Whistler house. The affair was a complete surprise to the recipients. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin left the city yesterday for Geneva, N. Y., where they are to reside for the future.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Yesterday's change of bill at the Opera House brought four excellent vaudeville acts and three new reels of pictures all of which may be seen for the small sum of ten cents. The vaudeville features of yesterday's bill were the "Famous and Reddy," billed as the "Fashion Plate Harmonizers," an exceptionally clever singing act that would be a feature on any vaudeville program and during which handsome

gowns are worn by the female member of the team. The Reed Sisters, a duo of petite and clever dancers do some excellent acrobatic and soft shoe dancing that wins warm approval from the auditor. Fred Welcome performs some new and difficult feats of liquid balancing and introduces a pair of clever trained dogs in his act. Harris and Dale in a comedy musical offering play various instruments and keep the audience in good humor with their jokes. The pictures include a Biograph reel entitled "Gold is Not All," one from the Selig company entitled "The Treasure Hunt," two good comedy pictures called "The Ranchman's Wooing" and "The Air Ship Gaze." The same bill will be repeated today and Saturday and Sunday afternoon and evening there will be a new program offered. The prices are five and ten cents.

## THEATRE VOYONS

The new bill at the Theatre Voyons yesterday was one of the best of the season. "Gold is Not All," a Biograph feature, is a pleasing drama of everyday life of a poor but loved wife and a society matron who has gold but not happiness. "A Little Vixen," a Pathe comedy, is really funny and Polar Bear hunting is a most interesting picture of actual conditions in the frozen north. "The Dress Suit Case Mystery" is a thrilling story of business life into which is woven a pleasant love story. The songs are both of the best class and are sung in an applause-winning manner.

## ACADEMY OF MUSIC

At the Academy of Music a truly great bill is in evidence. Woodford's Educated Animals is an act that entertains both young and old, and Counsel the second is a wonderful monkey with a human brain. Harry La Marr is a hit in himself. The ladies almost go into hysterics at his quaint sayings and old maidish mannerisms, while his dances are a thing of beauty and a joy forever. Joe Blott sings a song in his usual fetching style, and

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There's plenty variety both in fabrics and models in the showing of suits. Black thibet, blue serge, blue fancy worsteds, and gray fancy worsteds, and gray mixed cassimeres are the prominent fabrics, and these are shown in several coat models, closing with three or two buttons, showing the first button of the vest, which is cut high and without a collar.

The trousers have permanent cuffs or unfinished bottoms, to be finished to any length or in any style desired.

The topcoats include the new model "Rotten Row," like cut, in fancy chevrons and the regular box coat with square pockets, in black or fancy colors.

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Men's Nobly All Wool Suits, \$7.50 to \$30.00

Boys' Fancy and School Suits, \$1.98 to \$8.00

Men's Spring Top Coats, \$10.00 to \$25.00

Men's Hats, \$2.00 to \$3.00

Men's and Boys' Shoes, \$1.50 to \$4.00

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## Y.M.C.A. BUILDING

## Plans for the Structure Submitted

Tentative plans for the new Y. M. C. A. building have been submitted. Architect J. H. H. of Chicago has laid out about 15 different plans since his last visit to Lowell and submitted four of the best to the committee. The committee has declared itself in favor of one of the four plans. It is hoped that all the details of the building may be satisfactorily arranged so that it may be started by the middle of May. Mr. H. has planned work cost about \$135,000, but if Lowell found conditions such as Manchester found, a saving of \$10,000 could be made over the Chicago figures.

The plan calls for a men's entrance in Merrimack street, a boys' entrance in Shattuck street. The main building will be along the canal four stories in height. At the end toward Market street would be located the large gymnasium. Its roof would be glass and there would be nothing above it, thus permitting the gymnasium to be well lighted. The gymnasium would really be a one-story addition to the main building.

The swimming tank is placed in the jog of the building made by the angle turning into Shattuck street on the side toward Market street. It also would be in the nature of a one-story glass-roofed projection from that portion of the building and it would be set back from the edge of the canal, so that the bottom of the tank would be about two feet above the canal water level, thus permitting the escape of water from the tank by gravity.

The interior arrangement of the building would cause its first floor to be raised about five feet above the sidewalk in Merrimack street and its front line on that street would be on a line with the Merrimack House frontage rather than the Wentworth property adjoining the new building. This would give an area between the sidewalk line and the entrance somewhat like that which used to be in front of Huntington hall.

On entering this entrance the men's quarters would be first encountered and beyond them the secretary's offices. These offices would be so placed that they would command an oversight of both the Merrimack and Shattuck street entrances, thus permitting one man the chance to look after both entrances, reduce the expense of maintenance. The boys' entrance in Shattuck street would be directly into the boys' quarters. Opportunities to reach the gymnasium from the various portions of the building would be ample and one would not conflict with the other.

The main building will be on the canal, but being raised five feet, it will permit the basement, as called, to be of ample height and still be well above the canal level. Down there will be the locker rooms. Entrances to the gymnasium will be from down in the basement, and will be by means of a rise of five steps, placing the gymnasium floor half way between the basement floor and the ground floor.

The second floor will be given up to the hall and class rooms. The hall itself will seat 225 and, when the four class rooms are opened into it by means of accordion doors, it will be 100 feet long and will seat over 600. There will be a stage and dressing rooms at one end. The third and fourth floors will be used as dormitories.

## PAWTUCKET SOCIAL CLUB

A pleasant smoke talk and entertainment was held last night by the Pawtucketville social club. There was a large attendance, good speakers were present and a varied as well as interesting program was carried out during the evening.

President H. J. Martel presided, Maxime Lepine of L'Etiole, L. C. Gellinas and Dr. Pierre N. Brunelle were the speakers. Elizer J. Larochelle of L'Etiole, H. Charbonneau and H. Brunelle furnished some good comic songs. The club has on its program a series of free soirees which will be given with a view of bringing together more the French American residents of that section, and promoting social progress and spirit. The first will be a whist and concert in the middle of April, and the second lecture by Rev. Fr. Baron, O. M. I., the first week of May.

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## A SPRY OLD LADY

## Mrs. Martha M. Baker 95 Years Old

Mrs. Martha M. Baker of 73 D street observed her 95th birthday yesterday and although suffering with a cold and from the effects of a fall a few days ago, she was in excellent spirits and received the congratulations of neighbors and friends. Mrs. Baker lives alone on the ground floor of her house and she prepares her own meals and does her own housework. Her neighbors are always ready to assist her when she finds her work too hard.

Mrs. Baker is a native of New Durham, N. H. Her husband worked to the Lowell mills for several years, but they have not resided here continuously. They came to Lowell in 1835 and after living here a number of years they went to Virginia. This was in the 40's. Later they went to New York city, where Mr. Baker was employed on the police force, for many years and was finally retired on a pension. They returned to Lowell as to their home city. Mrs. Baker's maiden name was Martha M. Palmer, but she is the only descendant on her mother's side, of Col. Jonathan Folson of New Durham, who was her grandfather. She had four children one of whom died in the Civil war. The others are dead.

## CARRIAGE SMASHED

## BY COLLISION WITH AUTO LAST EVENING

The automobile of Charles Griffin, of 121 South Walker street, and a carriage driven by a man named Lister, 4 Kamels place, collided on Middlesex street at the foot of Thorneike street hill, about 7:30 o'clock last evening. It is needless to state what happened to the carriage. Neither of the occupants was injured.

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph Warren Tyler of New York city, and Miss Katherine Eastman daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Eastman were united in marriage last night at six o'clock at St. Anne's church, Rev. A. St. John Chambre officiating.

Proceeding the ceremony Mr. Arthur C. Spalding played an excellent program of organ music and also played the usual wedding marches.

The bride was attended by a maid of honor and three bridesmaids, and was given away by her father, Mr. William A. Eastman. The bride was gowned in white Duchesse satin trimmed with Duchesse lace and embroidered with pearls, and carried a shower bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. The groom of the bride made an exquisitely pretty color scheme. They were all of crepe meteor, that of the maid of honor, Miss Ruth Gilman of Springfield, being a pale blue. The three bridesmaids were Misses Elizabeth Spalding, Rebecca Bartlett and Katherine Shicklin, all of Lowell, and their gowns of delicate pink and pale yellow, with the pale blue worn by the maid of honor, made an effective blending of color. The bridesmaids carried white sweet peas, and the maid of honor, pink Killarney roses.

The best man was Mr. A. Carlyle Porteous of New York city, and the ushers were Messrs. Robert and Murray Tyler of New York, brothers of the bridegroom, Mr. Kenneth Macgregor of New York, and Mr. Karl Dicknell of Lowell.

After the marriage there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, 14 Smith avenue, to relatives and the bride's intimate friends.

After a short trip of two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler will remain in Lowell and New York until the first of June when they expect to go to Santos, Brazil, where Mr. Tyler is engaged in business.

Allen—Cootie  
Miss Sarah J. Cootie, daughter of Mrs. B. Cootie, of 61 Hoyt avenue, this city, and Mr. William H. Allen, of Boston, were united in marriage Wednesday night at the home of the bride's mother, Rev. N. T. Whitaker officiating. The house was decorated with beautiful flowers and a large number of guests and sympathetic presents evidenced sincere friends. The wedding ceremony was attended by a company of choice friends who later partook of a tasty lunch of cake, ice cream, coffee and lemonade. Mr. and Mrs. Allen will live at Boston Highlands.

Donations made on or before Saturday, April 2nd, in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank begin to draw interest on that date.

## Madame Katherine Is in THE BASEMENT

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## Comfortable Underwear

For spring wear will be found here in every desirable grade and style, and at prices that will please the shrewdest and best posted buyers. It's hard to select any particular style for mention when so many deserve notice. However, we quote some prices below and they will reveal to you the very best underwear values this department has ever shown. Better than last year's best is what we are working for in this section of the store and the goods this season are helping a long way to make this easy to accomplish.

**Women's Cotton Vests**—In low and high neck, short sleeves and no sleeves—plain crocheted edge yoke and lace trimmed, extra good value ..... 12 1-2c

**Women's Lisle Thread Vests**—In low neck, high neck and round neck, short sleeves, no sleeves and long sleeves, lace trimmed yoke of Valenciennes; also Irish crocheted, silk ribbon draw string, about twenty styles at ..... 25c

**Women's Superfine Lisle Thread Vests**—In low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless. Yokes of embroidered batiste or Valenciennes lace insertion, and edge with heading and silk drawing string; also with hand crocheted silk edge, fifteen or twenty styles, all at ..... 50c

**Real Imported Swiss Ribbed Vests**—In low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless, hand crocheted edge, extra fine goods ..... 50c

We have various other lines in silk and lisle, silk pleated and all silk that are remarkably good values and worthy your attention. Prices range up to \$1.50 each.

**Union Suits**—Special value in fine lisle suits in all styles, high and low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless, and long sleeves, in knee length, both cuff and umbrella style; also ankle length, all styles, ..... 50c

**Union Suits**—Of mercerized silk lisle, genuine Swiss, ribbed fine, beautifully finished garments with hand crocheted silk heading, yoke and silk draw string, low neck and no sleeves, knee length in both cuff and umbrella styles ..... 1.00

**Cumfy Cut Vests**—Something entirely new, the feature being in the shoulder straps, which are so placed that they positively will not slip off. Lisle finish, lace edge and draw string, all sizes ..... 12 1-2c

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## Friday, Saturday and Monday

Fancy Bon Bon Dishes—Regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Bon Bon Dishes—Gold edge, regularly 10c, sale price ..... 10c

Fancy Spoons—Gold edge, regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Sauce Dishes—Gold edge, regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Bon Bon Dishes—Regularly 25c, sale price ..... 10c

Fancy Glass Baskets—Regularly 25c, sale price ..... 15c

Fancy Glass Trays—Regularly 40c, sale price ..... 25c

Fancy Cracker Jars—Regularly 85c, sale price ..... 40c

Fancy Glass Fruit Dishes—Regularly 10c, sale price ..... 14c

Fancy Water Glasses—Regularly 8c and 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Water Sets with Trays—Regularly 85c, sale price ..... 40c

Wine Sets—(Cut pattern), regularly 95c, sale price ..... 75c

Table Sets—4 pieces, green, ruby and gold, regularly \$1.95, sale price ..... 98c

Table Sets—6 pieces, cut pattern, regularly 95c, sale price ..... 75c

Handsome Fruit Bowls—Regularly 85c, sale price ..... 40c

Intaglio Glass Dishes—Regularly \$1.95, sale price ..... 98c

Ruby Water Sets with Tray—Regularly \$1.95, sale price ..... \$1.29

Colonial Vases—12 inches tall, regularly 75c, sale price ..... 40c

Glass Rolling Pins—Regularly 25c, sale price ..... 10c

## EXTRA SPECIAL

## For Friday and Saturday

25 Fine French China Tea Sets—In beautiful floral decorations under glass finish. 50 pieces in each set; regular price \$7.95, sale price ..... \$4.98

## Coats and Suits

Women who seek clothes of style, snap and quality will find our department meets every requirement. We cater to the women of particular taste who appreciate a combination of style, refinement and moderate price in any suit or coat they may wish to buy.

These few special items for Friday and Saturday will prove interesting:

**Serge Suit, \$15.98**—This is one of our special attractions in the garment department for Friday and Saturday. An all wool serge in shades of pearl, tan, reseda, navy and black. Coat lined with two-year guaranteed satin; collar and cuffs lined with satin to match and button trimmed. Skirt is the new style full pleated effect. This suit is in all sizes to 46 and is a remarkable value at ..... \$15.98

**Extra Size Suits, \$21.00**—We look out for the big sizes in our department and have suits in stock to fit up to 50 inch bust. One noteworthy suit, entirely new, is of dark oxford mixture and light and medium gray worsteds with coat lined with Skinner's satin and two styles skirts, either cluster pleated or overskirt effect, button trimmed. This comes in regular sizes; also for extra up to 50 size, and in short waisted models for short people ..... \$21.00

**Fine Tailored Suits, \$25.00**—At \$25.00 we are offering you the opportunity to buy some of the best tailored suits in the market, strictly custom tailored and fancy trimmed in serges, mousish mixtures and the new sharks' skin cloth and with beautiful lustrous peau de cygne linings matching to perfection. All the new pastel shades of violet, reseda, hickory, walnut, tan and mustard are included. Fit and finish of each garment reflect the most careful workmanship ..... \$25.00

**Narrow Wale Diagonal Coat, \$13.98**—One of the season's best models, 54 inch length, semi-fitting. Colors: Navy and black, with collar, cuffs and patch pocket of blue and white or black and white, shepherd's check. Sizes for misses and children ..... \$13.98

**Serge Coat, \$10.00**—All wool cloth in fast colors, navy and black, double yoke of same material, welted seams, pleated back, notched collar faced with black moire, sizes for misses and women ..... \$10.00

**Odd Size Coats, \$7.98**—We make a feature of fitting stout figures and a special coat in a 34 inch model is especially noteworthy. All wool serge, satin lined throughout and with moire trimmed collar. We can fit any figure in this number which is really a \$10.00 value ..... \$7.98

**Young Ladies' Raincoat, \$4.98**—The slip-on raincoat is becoming an almost indispensable article these days. Here's a specially good one at a saving. Tan and gray material with mannish sleeve and wind shield cuff, latest model, all sizes, a \$6.00 garment ..... \$4.98

## DRESS GOODS

## 1500 Yards Specially Priced

A sensational clearance of extremely popular dress goods intended for spring and summer wear. No unfavorable conditions of weather should keep the thrifty woman away from this sale Friday and Saturday. Some of the materials are 38 inches wide; others are 42 and a few are 50 inch goods. Such popular favorites as this season's diagonal invisible stripes and checks, satin stripe prunellas and shepherd checks are included in the lot. Every one has retailed at from 60c to 60c up to closing time yesterday. All now at one price ..... 39c

**36 Inch Narrow Wale Diagonals**—Brown, Green, Navy, Royal, Your Choice Wistaria, French Blue, Tan ..... 39c yd.  
**42 In. Shadow Checks**—Cream, Red, Brown, Navy ..... 39c yd.  
**36 In. Satin Stripe Prunellas**—Navy, Green, Black ..... 39c yd.  
**50 In. Black and White Shepherd Checks** ..... 39c yd.  
**36 In. Invisible Stripe Serges** ..... 39c yd.

## BEAUTIFUL OILED PORTRAITS

## Absolutely Free

We are giving coupons with every purchase at our store, and if you will save these until you have collected to the amount of ten dollars and bring them to us we will make for you, on canvas, a genuine black and white oiled painting, life size bust from any photograph or tintype you may bring us, absolutely free. We pay for the painting and all the expense to you is for the frame, which is furnished at actual cost.

Samples of these beautiful oiled paintings are on exhibition in all parts of the store. The pictures are made only by the Black and White Co., and cannot be bought at any price. This is a most attractive offer and one we hope will be interesting to our customers. We guarantee the safe return of all photographs and satisfaction in every way. Begin saving the coupons now. See sample pictures at our store.

## New Millinery Ideas

## EVERY DAY

It is time to choose your new hat now. The weather is favorable for spring bonnets, the styles are most delightful and the variety in our department is of unusual merit, both as to quality and price. You will have no difficulty in selecting a hat just in accord with your own individual taste if you come here for it. There are hundreds of original designs from our own workrooms, besides a large showing of Parisian pattern hats. New models are added almost every day.

**Camden Hat**—Made of hair braid, roses and foliage trimming. Colors: Black, navy, champagne and green, for ..... \$2.98

**Helena Hat**—Of rough braid, trimming of silk flowers, foliage and messaline ribbon. Colors: Black, violet, champagne, navy, for ..... \$3.98

**Maxims Hat**—A pressed shape, draped crown, messaline facing, roses, lilacs, foliage and messaline ribbon for trimming. Colors: Black, burnt, green and navy for ..... \$4.98

**Princess Hat**—Of satin braid, trimming of messaline silk roses, wheat and velvet. Colors: Black, navy, green and natural, for ..... \$5.98

**A New Line of Ready-to-Wear Hats**—Trimming of velvet, silk and quills in black and colors, for ..... 98c

**Rolling Brim and Straight Brim Sailor Hats**—In all the new colors, for \$1.98 upwards

**Untrimmed Hats**—In all the latest up-to-date styles, for ..... 69c, 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98

**Beautiful Line of Flowers**—In roses, lilacs, foliage, geraniums and wheat for 19c, 25c, 49c and 89c

## Thomson's

## Glove Fitting Corsets

The response to our announcement regarding Thomson's Corsets a few weeks ago was so general and so instantaneous that we have made arrangements whereby we shall be able to still further demonstrate the sterling good qualities of the Glove Fitting Corsets to about 400 of our customers.

With the understanding that we shall use them to advertise our department and Thomson's Corsets in particular, we have received from the factory 400 pairs of a regular \$2.00 corset, one of the very latest models, and we have been authorized to offer this special lot at exactly

## HALF PRICE or \$1.00 A PAIR

The idea of this is that after a woman becomes acquainted with the good points of the Glove Fitting kind she is more than likely to be a permanent user of this special make and so by the sale of these 400 pairs of corsets at this special price of \$1 each we hope to make 400 regular throughout-the-year customers of the Thomson Glove Fitting.

These go on sale Friday morning. There are 400 pairs and there will be no more except at the regular price of \$2.00 each. All sizes.

## The Most Fascinating

## Shirt Waists

Shown this season have been opened in our stock this week. Dressy enough for the most important occasion. Sheer and summery enough for warm days that are to come. We mention a few of the novelties received only yesterday—it is a delight to see them—how much more of a pleasure it would be to own one for wear! Only a few of a kind, so choose early.

**Waist of Persian Lawn**—Very fine and sheer—panels of baby Irish insertion back and front with graduated tucks, French back, hand crocheted buttons, bishop sleeves, collar and long cuffs, lace trimmed ..... \$3.98

**Waist of Silk Batiste**—A very stunning, stylish waist with fancy pointed yoke of hand embroidery Madeira work front, back, collar, sleeves and cuffs all trimmed with real Valenciennes insertion, ..... \$4.98

**Marquessette Waist**—One of the very latest. Square yoke of German Val. and real Cluny and collar of same; front of the new and very effective Russian embroidery, hand crocheted buttons; sleeves are three-quarter length ..... \$5.98

**Waist of Persian Lawn**—Mercerized finish. This waist has the effect of a silk crepe waist, as it is made throughout, front, back, sleeves and cuffs of the finest and closest pin-head tucks. Front, back, yoke and collar are trimmed with real Cluny. An attractive waist at this price, ..... \$5.98

**Lingerie Waist**—Of sheerest handkerchief lawn, fancy yoke of beautiful hand embroidery in solid and eyelet work; sleeves also have panel of same—the whole waist trimmed with real Val. lace. This is a copy of a \$10 Parisian waist ..... \$7.50

**Marquessette Waist**—An entirely new idea in the effective Russian embroidery, cut in new style with seamless shoulder having an insertion of embroidery and thread lace. The sleeve in the three-quarter length has panel of the same embroidery, collar and cuffs of real thread lace. One of the novelty waists that we pride ourselves in showing ..... \$7.98

## THE BON MARCHE

## SPECIAL OXFORD

You can be fitted here today or tomorrow in a good, sensible low shoe in all the new shapes and fashionable leathers at a very moderate price. The Bon Marche Special is the best shoe value at the price that can be found anywhere, and twenty or more styles this season are shown. Durable style, in kidskin with patent leather tips—calfskin or patent leather; ankle strap pumps; one eyelet button tie, tan, gun metal and black, high Cuban or low heels, medium or light weight soles; any style; any size ..... \$2.00

OPENING SALE — SPRING WASH GOODS — TODAY — IN BASEMENT



# HON. BUTLER AMES

## Declares in Favor of Reciprocity With Canada

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Representative Butler Ames has taken up the cause of reciprocity with Canada. He introduced a resolution on the subject yesterday and called the matter to the attention of the house during the consideration of the conference report on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

Mr. Ames says that one lesson taught by the recent election in the 14th congressional district of Massachusetts is that the doctrine of Canadian reciprocity is growing in popularity. Mr. Ames' resolution is as follows:

Resolved: That it is the sense and judgment of this house that negotiations with Canada should be instituted at this time with a view to establishing closer commercial ties and freer trade relations with that country; and ordered that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the president of the United States.

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Discussing the election of Mr. Foss, Mr. Ames said: "My friends, democratic leaders in the state, and many independent observers of the situation, have expressed the opinion that the outcome of the special election was rather a rebuke to Senator Lodge and his machine of politics than a protest against the Taft administration. The Lodge people are frightened and are working hard, but it is too late, according to my advice from all parts of the state."

### HOW TO CURE ECZEMA, PIMPLES, AND DANDRUFF.

We desire to say that when we took the agency for ZEMO, we were convinced that it was a valuable remedy for Eczema, pimples, and dandruff. Yet, we must frankly admit that ZEMO has far exceeded our expectations as a treatment for skin diseases. We are pleased to state that we shall continue the agency as ZEMO has given splendid results wherever recommended. Our customers like ZEMO too, because it is a clean vegetable liquid for external use.

ZEMO effects its cures by drawing to the surface of the skin and destroying the germ life that causes the disease, leaving the skin clear and healthy. It does not soil the clothing or linen and can be used freely on infants.

With every purchase we give a booklet on skin diseases explaining in simple words how any person can be cured at home of any form of skin or scalp diseases by this clean, scientific remedy. A. W. Dows & Co., druggists.

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### "MITCHELL DAY"

Observed By the Striking Miners Today

PITTSBURG, April 1.—What is known to the public at large as "All-

## We Won't Fool You

Twenty new styles of lace and embroidery trimmed corset covers, most of them worth 49c, now ..... 29c

15 styles of lace and embroidery trimmed combinations, a manufacturer's surplus stock, all sizes, but not in every style ..... 69c

Short petticoats of white seersucker, which does not require ironing, a new practical garment at the unusual price of ..... 47c

New styles of colored tailored, middie collar or lingerie waists, the best we have ever seen for ..... 97c

Shirt waist suits of checked or plaid gingham or plain chambray, new pleated skirt, your choice of 25 colors or patterns ..... \$3.50

Tailored and semi-tailored button front waists, many new styles and clever new designs, 97c to \$3.97

Messaline and taffeta silk waists, blacks and colors, some of them look like \$4.98 waists now ..... \$2.97

Ten new styles of messaline and taffeta silk waists, some tailored and some with lace yokes, button front or back ..... \$5.00

Taffeta silk petticoats, blacks and colors, sectional flounce, finished with bias strappings, the best we have ever had for ..... \$5.00

### The White Store

116 Merrimack St.

## BOARD OF POLICE

Heard Applications for Retirement on Pension

The board of police met in special session this morning and Keeper Jas. A. McQuade and Patrolmen George W. Marshall and Henry F. Quinn, who have petitioned to be retired and placed on the pension roll, appeared before the members and stated their reasons for applying for pension.

Cormack McIntee, a keeper at the police station, who also applied for a pension, was unable to be present owing to the fact that he is confined to his bed.

Open an account with The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Interest begins April 2d.

### STAR THEATRE

Tonight Mr. Gonzo will escape from a murderer's chair locked and charged with electricity at the Star Theatre. He amazed hundreds of people last evening by escaping from straight jackets and Mexican stocks in plain view of the spectators. The biograph talking picture, "The New Wives" is very funny. The show is one of the best in Lowell and the admission of five cents includes a seat.

**Concord**  
with the handy  
Ara-Notch



**Evanston**  
with the usual  
buttonhole

THE NEW SUMMER

## ARROW COLLAR

High enough to look well—low enough to feel well. Plenty of room for tie to slide in.

15 cents—2 for 25 cents

CLUETT, PEABODY & CO., Troy, N. Y.      ARROW CUFFS, 25 Cents

**MARRIAGE INTENTIONS**

March 30—Joseph Geina, (widowed), 33, printer, 81 School street, Chicopee, Mass., and Clarinda Lajoie, (widowed), 28, at home, 409 Moody street.

Jose Francisco Gil, 22, operative, 3 Union street and Luisa Romlers, 18, operative, same address.

March 31—Matenszas Dirsa, 37, assistant janitor, 50 Lee street, and Stanislaw Gulbickinte, 20, operative, 35 Gorham street.

Telephore Dufreane, 30, barber, 53 Austin street and Rose Arcand, 35, operative, 23 Pawtucket street.

George N. Fernald, Jr., 26, brick layer, 120 Dalton street, and Marie Anna Dionne, 21, operative, 18 Beaulieu street.

April 1—Ernest A. Pallow, 23, carpenter, 14 Front street, and Sadie M. Gray, 19, operative, 34 Stanley street.

## LAST CALL

The forms of the next **TELEPHONE DIRECTORY** close positively on

**April 2, 1910**

If you are a resident or a prospective resident of this territory and desire to have your name in this book you must give your order **AT ONCE**.

Call up our Local Manager in your town, free of charge, and an Agent will be sent to see you.

**NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO.**

## Not One, Not a Dozen, But HUNDREDS

of new customers opened accounts with us last week. Must be something in our way of giving credit. There is—it's this team:

Honest Credit, Reasonable Prices and

## GOOD MERCHANDISE

### Men's Suits

\$12.50 to \$25

At each price an assortment that any store might envy.

### Young Men's Suits

\$10 to \$18.50

Smart, snappy, clever clothes, in fabrics that look and wear well.

### Boys' Suits

\$2.50 to \$5.50

That compare with any strictly cash store. Try them out—they'll bear out our say so.

### Ladies' Suits

\$12.50 to \$35

Serges, French Serges, novelty fabrics in light colors, and navy and black.

### Suits For Girls

\$10 to \$15

That fit most times without alteration—navy, black and light colors.

### Serge Coats, \$18.50

Cravenotted and can be used as Raincoats, yet are Dress Coats in every respect.

### Covert Coats, \$12.50

Long 54-inch garments with swell Tuxedo collar.

**Caesar Misch Store**  
ALEXANDER STRAUSS, PROP.  
220 CENTRAL STREET

Fools Day" is to Pittsburg "Indignation Day" and to the 40,000 striking miners in this district "Mitchell Day." The last name is in recognition of the services of John Mitchell, former president of the United Mineworkers in winning his fight eleven years ago for an eight hour workday. The miners have always observed this day as a holiday and have sometimes had so good a time that it has taken two or three days thereafter to get back to work. Whether this year's breach in negotiations for a new wage scale and working agreement means a longer suspension is a matter which troubled them little in their merry making today.

It is "Indignation Day" as officially set by a civic committee for public condemnation of the graft disclosures and a monster mass meeting for this purpose is to be held tonight at Exposition hall. It is coincident with the fact that today or tomorrow at the latest the grand jury will come out with the much-waited-for names of the men higher-up in the graft scandals.

## THE ALPINES WON

Have a Good Hold on the Trophy

The Alpines won two points from the Burkes in the game played in the Catholic league series last night and thereby clinched the hold on the trophy offered as a prize for the winner of the series. The first and second strings were won by the Alpines the third going to the Burkes. Dwyer of the winning team was the king pin. The score:

Alpines			
Farrell	10	25	35
Kelley	81	96	177
Wynne	93	88	181
Dwyer	105	99	204
McCormack	96	90	186
Totals	484	498	1291

Burkes			
Gleason	91	102	193
Higgins	75	71	146
Logan	85	85	170
Mullin	84	80	164
Crane	101	86	187
Totals	436	424	1301

## NEW HALL SITE

With an Entrance on Merrimack Street

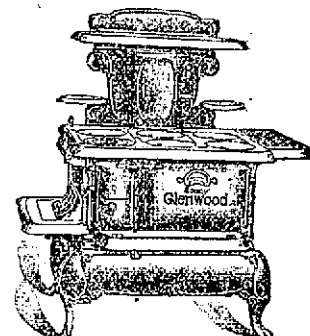
One of the most recent propositions for a public hall site is the group of buildings in Paige street about in the rear of the Hildreth building and by bridging over the alley that runs parallel to Merrimack and Paige streets have an entrance to the hall from Merrimack street.

**John Tighe**  
11-12 DUTTON STREET

Late of the Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., has accepted a position as salesman with the Bently Jewelry Co. of 373 Washington street, Boston, Mass. He will be pleased to call on his friends with a full line of sample Watches, Diamonds, etc. Cash or installments. Telephone 2003-1.

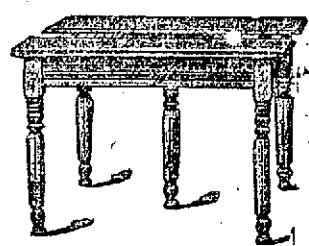
NEVER before in the history of our city have such inducements been offered to the public to furnish a pretty four room flat comprising the following:

### For Kitchen



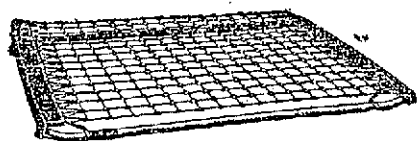
One Glenwood Range with high shelf.  
Two Kitchen Chairs.  
One Kitchen Table.  
Two Curtains.

### For Dining Room



One 6-Foot Dining Table.  
Six Cane Seat Dining Chairs.  
One G. O. Sideboard to match.

### For Chamber



One Brass Trimmed Iron Bed.  
One National Spring.  
One Mattress.

### For Parlor

One 5-Piece Parlor Suit.  
One Art Square.  
Two Pairs Lace Curtains.

Regular Price for Above Furnishings \$135. Sale Price

**\$86.75 for Entire Outfit**

DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR BEAUTIFUL WINDOW DISPLAY.

Goods Delivered With Our Powerful Auto Truck.

**M. F. GOOKIN CO.**  
35 Market Street

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## A MIGHTY GATHERING

## Will Confront President Tuttle of B. &amp; M. R. R.

For Better Freight Facilities for Lowell and Merrimack Valley —Secretary John A. McKenna Arranges for a Mammoth Conference to Be Held Next Thursday

The business and commercial interests of the Merrimack Valley and the great city of Boston will move en masse against the Boston and Maine railroad next Thursday afternoon when a demand will be made by the combined interests for a betterment of the freight and shipping facilities or service of the Boston and Maine railroad.

The movement was started some time ago by the Lowell board of trade, and it will be recalled that last Monday a meeting of the representatives of the boards of trades and Merchants' association of all the cities of the Merrimack Valley was held in the American House in this city at which the matter was thoroughly discussed by experts and a plan of campaign adopted.

Through the efforts of Secretary John A. McKenna of the local board of trade an appointment was made with Lucius Tuttle of the Boston and Maine for a conference with him at his office next Thursday afternoon, and Secretary McKenna will make it a point that there will be an impressive representation of business men at that conference, for he has not only provided that all who attended the recent conference held in Lowell will be on hand, but he has sent requests to all the commercial organizations of Boston, such as the Chamber of Commerce, the Hardware Dealers' association and several other kindred bodies, asking them to send representatives to the conference. A meeting of the conferees will be held in Boston to formulate plans on Thursday prior to the meeting with Mr. Tuttle.

## TO FIGHT PICKETING SYSTEM

HALIFAX, N. S., April 1.—The strike of the United Mine Workers of America at the Dominion Coal Co.'s mines last summer came before the supreme court today. The company applied for an injunction to restrain 71 men from watching places where the plaintiff does business for the purpose of endeavoring by unlawful means to induce workmen to join the strike. The proceedings are aimed against the picketing system maintained by the United Mine Workers. The hearing on the application occupied most of the day.

## FUNERAL NOTICE

CLARK—Died March 31st in South Framingham, Mass. John A. Clark aged 58 years. Private funeral services will be held in the Lowell cemetery chapel Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

## "WHITE SLAVE" BILL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., The house today passed the "white slave" bill providing that no person in the state will be allowed to conduct a disorderly house and that no disorderly women can be brought into the state. This bill has not been passed upon by the senate as yet.

## TO GET WAGE INCREASE

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 1.—The miners of the 11th district will have little difficulty in obtaining a wage increase of five cents a ton announced today. Officials of the operators' association said the increase probably would be granted next Wednesday when the mine owners and miners will hold a joint conference here.

## FIRE ON DUMP

An alarm from box 249 at 1:11 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a fire on the dump at the foot of Stackpole street.

**7-20-4**  
10c Cigar  
A gentleman's smoke. Now outsets all its competitors. Factory, Manchester, N. H.

**Bright, Sears & Co.**  
BANKERS AND BROKERS  
**Wyman's Exchange**  
GEO. A. FLOOR

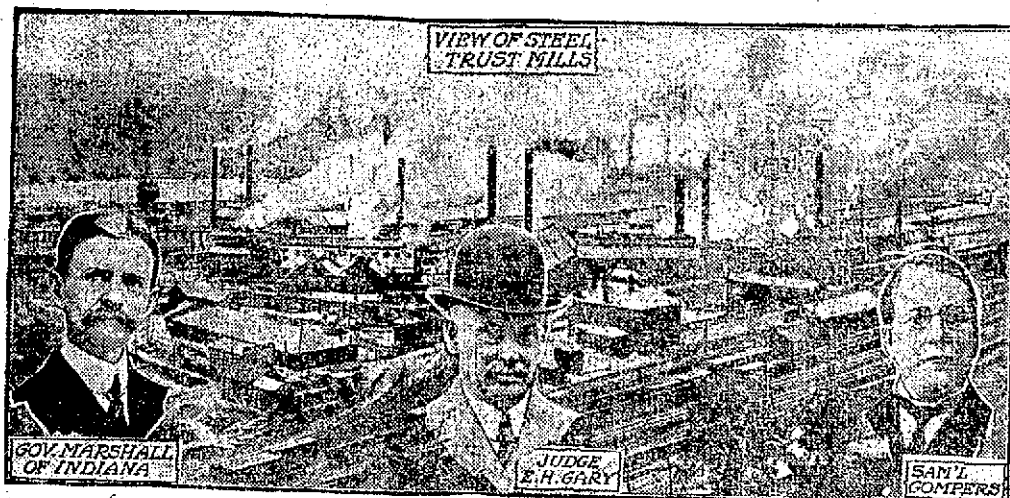
**POLAND WATER**  
For Sale by  
F. and E. BAILEY & CO.  
GEO. A. WILLSON & CO.

## OTIS JOHNSON, NEW YORK'S YOUNG THIRD SACKER



As is the case every year around this time reports emanating from the different major league baseball camps tell of the wonderful playing of some youngster on the team. The latest "phenom" to be discovered is Otis Johnson, the New York Americans' new third sacker. This recruit has been playing a sensational game around last station since he joined his club a week or so ago. Johnson is quite a subologist. In the last few games the youngster has been batting like a Tyrus Cobb. In a recent practice game at Athens, Ga., he made four hits in as many times at bat. Another team was a home run. Manager Stallings says he thinks Johnson will make a great name for himself this season.

## SAMUEL GOMPERS, JUDGE E. H. GARY AND GOV. MARSHALL IN STEEL TRUST FIGHT



INDIANAPOLIS, April 1.—Governor Marshall has the briefs and a score of sworn statements furnished him by Samuel Gompers that pegging exists in the great mill of the United States Steel Co. at Gary, Ind. The governor has been asked to dissolve the charter of the steel company on the ground that it has been violated. The American Federation of Labor has been collecting data against the com-

pany for more than a year, and the attorneys for Gompers declare they will shatter the romance that has existed around Gary. The steel company claims that Gary is the model city of the country and built more than 1,000 homes, which it sold to the employees. Mr. Gompers claims these houses are really owned by the company and are rented to only high class labor, while many of the poor class of laborers are

forced to sleep in small rooms, as high as twenty-five men being stretched out on the floor of a room that has but one window. Mr. Gompers also charges the company with owning the saloons and doing a liquor business as well as making steel rails. Governor Marshall has the answer of the steel company to all the charges and promises an investigation with his answer within the next two weeks.

## MARTIN BEATEN

He Lost Bout With Arthur Cote

BOSTON, April 1.—Arthur Cote, the Maine boxer, who looked as big as a middleweight, went against Oscar Martin of Philadelphia in the feature bout at the American A. C. last night and Martin's brother Terry threw up the sponge in the sixth round. Cote was declared the winner.

Tom Foley of South Boston was billed to meet Cote, but yesterday afternoon Foley notified the club that Cote was too heavy. Martin, who was in Manchester, N. H., was telegraphed for and he arrived in Boston only a short time before going into the ring. Against such big odds he did well.

It was a one-sided match for not only did Cote have at least 20 pounds on Martin, but he had the more experience. Though Martin landed some lefts and rights on the body and face, the punches did not have enough steam behind them to bother Cote. The latter's jab to the face and left hooks to the body and jaw had Martin in bad shape when Terry ended the bout.

The bout between Chester Walcott, brother of Joe, and John Henderson was scheduled for eight rounds, but it went only five. It was a hot bout and the way they walloped each other till Walcott put Henderson down and out in the fifth worked up a lot of excitement.

Dutch Carr of Charlestown met Patrick McArdle of the South End instead

of Beano Bréan, the latter having a bad ear. Carr stopped McArdle in the second round.

Scotty Coyne of Manchester, who is nearly in the old-timers' class, met Tommy Flanagan of Cambridge in the other eight-round bout. Coyne showed none of his old-time form, and Flanagan, with his left jab and rights to the face, got the decision.

## BURNS TO MEET LANGFORD

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 1.—Tommy Burns, ex-champion heavyweight, will meet Sam Langford of Boston in a 15-round bout to be held in America on Sept. 5.

ERNE BADLY BATTERED  
LANCASTER, Penn., April 1.—In a six-round fight before the Lancaster A. C. between Leo Houck of Lancaster and Young Ernie of Philadelphia last night both men finished strong, but Houck had the advantage of every round but one. Ernie was badly battered, while Houck came out practically unscathed. Ernie resorted frequently to clenching to avoid punishment.

## SHEA BESTS BERGIN

AUGUSTA, Me., April 1.—Kid Shea of Hallowell had the better of Tommy Bergin of Lewiston in two six-round bouts at city hall last night, held under the auspices of the Augusta A. A. About 1000 spectators were present.

Young Stewart of Bangor knocked out Young Cote of Biddeford in the second round with a right on the jaw. Young Trepanneau of Augusta had the better of Kid Coffey of Lewiston in a six-round bout. Tom McCarthy of Montpelier quit in the second round of his bout with Giant McCluskey of Chelsea.

## COL. ROOSEVELT TO MEET WELL KNOWN GERMAN HUNTERS

BERLIN, April 1.—Mr. Roosevelt has accepted an invitation to a luncheon arranged by Joseph Grew, second secretary of the embassy, to permit the former president to meet some of the well known German hunters.

## DR. FOSTER DEAD

NEW HAVEN, April 1.—Dr. J. P. Foster, head of the state tuberculosis committee and who was regarded as an authority on the treatment of tuberculosis, died at his home here today of pneumonia after a brief illness. He was about 65 years of age and was graduated from Yale college in 1899 and from Yale medical school in 1875.

## SCALP TORN OFF

Lynn Women May Not Recover

LYNN, April 1.—Mrs. Sarah Brown's scalp was completely torn off last night when her hair caught in the belt attached to a winding machine which she operated in building 63 at the River works plant of the general electric company. Mrs. Brown, who is a widow and lives at 11 Windup street court, was cleaning beneath the winding machine at the time.

More than 50 women employed in the department were preparing to quit work for the day when the accident occurred, and the screams of the injured woman completely unnerved several of the other employees. Several hurried to her assistance and did their best to stay the flow of blood.

A police ambulance reached the factory just as Dr. Manix arrived and she was hurried to the Lynn hospital. There it was said that her condition was very serious and that she might not recover.

Mrs. Brown is a middle-aged woman who is well-known in the Pine hill district, where she has resided for several years with her son, Fred W. Brown, a page at the state house.

## JIMMY GARDNER

Matched Against Frank Klaus at Armory Club

Jimmy Gardner has been matched against Frank Klaus, the Pittsburg 151 pound boxer who is making them all sit up and take notice.

Klaus won from Frank Mantel at the Armory club last Tuesday evening and the management lost no time in matching him against Gardner, and the bout will take place on Tuesday, April 12th. Gardner left for Boston today to train at the Armory club for his coming bout and he has engaged as his training partners, Bill McKinnon, his old time opponent, Kid Goodman and Young Donahue. Jimmy wanted his brother Billie to take care of his training quarters, but as Billie has recently accepted the position as rubber and bath expert at the local Turkish bath he couldn't give the time to training Jimmy.

## POLICE TAKE HAND

## In the Strike of the Louisville Tobacco Workers

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—Today the hand of the police was shown in the tobacco strike situation when several hundred strikers marched to the big plug factory of the American Tobacco Co. at 105th street and Broadway and attempted to draw out the employees. The police used their clubs frequently and in a short time had cleared the streets surrounding the factory.

About 3200 women stemmers are on strike, four factories are closed and others crippled and it is expected today 4500 women employed in the plug-making and cigar departments will quit in sympathy.

The strikers demand \$3 a hundred pounds for stemming the inferior leaf, \$2.50 a hundred for stemming the better grade and a commission of ten cents on the dollar and they ask further that the sanitary conditions at the factories be improved and that the scales on which the tobacco is weighed be out to them be inspected by authorized persons and accurately adjusted.

The grievances of the strikers have been submitted to the general officers at the company in New York.

## THE CITY COUNCIL GOES TO NEWARK

Legislated Itself Out of Office Bob Ganley Signs With Eastern League

LYNN, April 1.—The Lynn city council last night practically legislated itself out of existence by accepting the report presented a few days ago by the joint committee of charter revision. The report, which will now go before the legislature's committee on cities, provides for the replacement of the present bicameral city council of 25 members by a single chamber of 11 members.

When the Kansas City team refused to pay the price for Ganley demanded by the Philadelphia team Ganley reverted back to the Philadelphia. He would not have gone to the western city under any circumstances as they refused to pay him what he wanted.

A week ago Connie Mack wired Ganley asking him what terms he would play for and Bob replied without delay. Last evening he received a telegram to report at Newark by Sunday that his terms and those of the Philadelphia team had been accepted by Newark.

The Newark team is on its way back from its training quarters in the south and Bob will meet the members on their return to the home city. It's a good bet that Ganley will be back in the Philadelphia outfield before the close of the coming season.

## THE FIRE DEPT.

Had 91 Calls During the Month of March

The local fire department responded to 91 alarms of fire during the month of March just ended, this being the greatest number of alarms for the month of March in any year since the organization of the department. The majority of the alarms were for grass fires.

In years past the grass fires have occurred in April, but this year owing to the warm and dry weather the fires occurred in March.

## ATTACK BY MOB

WAS MADE ON THE PERUVIAN LEGATION

BOGOTA, Colombia, April 1.—A mob attacked and forced an entrance into the Peruvian legation yesterday. The police were promptly on the scene and prevented serious damage being done. The rioting was provoked through the posting about the city of copies of a telegram addressed to Colombians by President Alfaro of Ecuador in which the executive expressed the hope that Ecuadorians and Colombians would stand together in defense of the frontiers of the old fatherland.

## TO VOTE ON STRIKE

CLEVELAND, O., April 1.—Trainmen and conductors employed on the Lake Erie & Western railroad whose wage advance demands were rejected by General Management Monday yesterday, today began preparations for voting upon the proposition of striking if the company does not accede. The employees' committee sent out the ballots today.

## NEW BATTLESHIPS

PARIS, April 1.—The chamber of deputies today voted to lay down two battleships in the present year designed to equal the latest type added to the navies of Great Britain and Germany.

## JACK JOHNSON HAS ASKED FOR A TRIAL BY JURY

CHICAGO, April 1.—Jack Johnson who appeared in the municipal court yesterday to answer a charge of speeding his automobile on Michigan avenue, gave the court a surprise by demanding a jury trial. He wanted at least two colored men on the jury. The court set the trial for April 19. After Jack had disposed of his court engagements he went to his home, where he acted as host to a large party which had assembled to celebrate the champion's 33d birthday.

## CALL TO BANKS

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business, March 29.

## BILL DEFEATED

House Is Opposed to Woman Suffrage

The legislature had another day of lively debate yesterday and crowded galleries when the women's suffrage bill came up.

After a lengthy debate the bill was killed by a vote of 47 in favor and 148 opposed. The promoters of the bill showed a gain of six votes over last year.

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We are showing an immense variety of hats trimmed with flowers at prices ranging within the limits of moderate pocketbooks, \$3.98 and \$4.98

Ready-to-Wear Hats, large and small, .98c to \$4.98

Children's Trimmed Hats, \$1.98 to \$6.98

Children's Untrimmed Hats and ready-to-wear hats.

98c to \$3.98

Untrimmed Hats, .98c, \$1.48, \$1.98 to \$12.50

Flowers and Foliage, .25c, 37c and 48c

Chantecler Birds and Wings at the lowest prices.

All the Latest Styles in mourning hats and veils at the lowest prices.

# STRIKE DECLARED

## Masters, Mates and Pilots Quit Their Positions

NEW YORK, April 1.—A white light swung at midnight from the roof of the Battery Park building, on the southern-most tip of the island of Manhattan, and two blasts—one long and one short—from the whistle of a chartered tug, notified the masters and pilots of New York harbor that a strike of the American Association of Masters, Mates and Pilots is on this morning against four trunk lines, and one manufacturing company operating marine freight services.

On acknowledging the signal from aloft, the tug immediately left to notify the men at their various stations that negotiations had failed and that the resignations they had sent in previously became immediately effective.

About 150 pilots, as many masters and half that number of mates are involved in the walkout. In addition to the railroads involved the pilots and masters employed by Arbuckle Bros. Sugar Refinery, which owns a small fleet of tugboats of its own, have also walked out. Four hundred cooks, firemen and deck hands, less certain of their ground, discussed the situation last night and decided to hold their jobs for the present. In a statement issued last night the companies said that they had received applications for work from 1000 men in Albany, Boston and this city, and their boats would run as usual.

### FUNERALS

**BASSETT**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Hannah Bassett took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her home 451 Adams street and was largely attended by the sorrowing relatives and friends including many members of the Holy Rosary society of St. Patrick's church. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson sang the Gregorian mass and the soloists were sustained by Miss Alice E. Murphy and Andrew McCarthy, Mr. John-

son presiding at the organ. Among the floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family and a large standing cross inscribed "Grandma" from the grandchildren. The bearers were John T. Masterson, James J. Shea, John Halliway, Patrick Thomas, Martin Moran and John McCarthy. At the grave Father Curtin read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**WOOD**—The funeral of Charles S. Wood took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the rooms of C. J. Molloy & Sons, Market street. Rev. A.

### How to Stop Drinking

It was formerly customary for the habit of drinking to take the pledge regularly, sometimes once a year, and sometimes in every fit of remorse that followed his debauches, and then—  
Break it.  
But now it is gradually dawning on the world that pledges do not stop drunkenness. The nervous system of the habitual drinker is diseased and he must have treatment that will cure this condition. Orlene is sold under a positive guarantee to cure the drink habit or the money will be refunded. Can be given secretly.  
Write for free booklet on the Cure of Alcoholism to the Orlene Co., 104 Orlene Building, Washington, D. C. Mailed sealed. Orlene costs but \$1 per box. Sold in this city by Riker, Jaynes Drug Co., 121-123 Merrimack st.

Frederic Dunnels, pastor of the Highland Congregational church, officiated. The bearers were Fred M. Perkins, D. D. Wilder, E. D. Hill and E. P. Sanborn, members of Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, K. of P. Among the floral offerings were the following: Pillow, inscribed "Father," from sons of deceased; triangle, inscribed "F. C. B.," from Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, K. of P.; spray, Mrs. and Miss Daly, and spray, from wife of deceased. Burial was in the Edison cemetery.

**SMITH**—The funeral of George Linwood Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Smith, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 68 A street. Rev. J. C. Wilson, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were Edward and Waldo Wood. The floral offerings included: Pillow inscribed "Dorling," father and mother; basket of flowers, Olive Messer, Mrs. Barnard, Hollis and Frank Sawyer, Arthur Flanders, Mrs. Prindle, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Brundelle, Ralph Green and Sidney and Forrest Varney; spray of pink, Bernard Smith; spray of pink, Ralph and Henry Erickson; spray of pink, Miss Annie Saunders and Mr. Alpha Norris; spray of pink and sweet peas, Mrs. B. Warren and Mabel; pillow of roses, Aunt Annie and Sadie; spray of pink, grandparents; spray of pink, and red, the Mitten; pink, George and George McManis; wreath of pink, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Howes; spray of red pink, a friend; spray of lilies, J. B. Townsend and family; spray of pink, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byam and Miss Nettie Byam; spray of pink, Mrs. Alexander. Burial was in the family lot in South Chelmsford, under the direction of J. A. Weinbeck.

**SULLIVAN**—The funeral of John Sullivan took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Peter H. Savage. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

**FOSTER**—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Foster took place this morning from her home, 7 Hudson street, at 8:30 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. F. O'Brien. The choir, under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly sang the Gregorian mass. The bearers were Messrs. James McCallum, William Hennessey, John J. Winters and James McGlynn. Burial was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where Rev. F. O'Brien read the committal services at the grave. Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott had charge.

**LANGAN**—The funeral of George Langan aged nine months, child of Patrick and Mary Langan, took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the parents' residence, 15 Chase street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Rogers. On account of the cause of death, measles, the funeral was private.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**WILLIAMSON**—The funeral of the late Dora E. Williamson will take place on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 168 Sumner street. Funeral mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons in charge.

**GUILFOYLE**—The funeral of the late Susan Guilfoyle will take place on Monday morning. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. The time of services will be announced later. Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons.

**HARDIE**—Died in this city, yesterday, at her home, 4 Waterford street, Mrs. Martha Hardie, aged 60 years and 8 months. The funeral services will be held at her home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private.

**SHORE**—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Shore will take place from the home, 151 Humphrey street, Monday morning at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John F. Rogers.

**TIERNEY**—The funeral of Mary A. Tierney will take place tomorrow morning at 8:30 from her late home, and there will be a funeral mass at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker Molloy & Sons in charge.

**BURNS**—The funeral of Frederick J. Burns will take place at 8 o'clock Monday morning from the family residence, 329 Commercial street, mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Peter H. Savage, undertaker.

**ALDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS**  
**ROCHESTER, April 1.**—The nomination of George W. Aldridge at the republican convention tomorrow for the vacancy in the 32d congressional district caused by the death of James Prescott Perkins is assured as the result of the primaries which closed last night. Aldridge delegates were opposed in only two wards in the city and in the contested wards the organization tickets were carried by substantial majorities.

### THAT NEW COLLAR

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### This Morning We Placed On Sale a New York Manufacturer's Sample Line of Suits for Small Women at a Reduction of One-Third

This lot consists of Diagonals, Cheviots, Brilliantines and Broadcloths. These suits are strictly tailored and made to sell from \$15.00 to \$19.50. Your choice of them, **\$10.50**

#### See Our Tailored Suits at \$19.75

Tailor made Suits in fancy mixtures and plain serges, satin lined coats, new pleated skirts.

#### Tailored Suits at \$25.00

Handsome tailor made Suits in embroidered French serge in the new pastel shades, fancy worsteds and stunning black and white checks in strictly tailored and the new Russian blouse effects, 32x34 inch coats, Skinner satin, messaline and peau-de-cygne lined, skirts in the new pleated and tunic effects.

#### Tailored Suits at \$22.50

Tailor made Suits in fine French serges, diagonals and new sharkskin material, black and all the new spring colors, latest cut satin lined coats and newest pleated skirts.

#### New Tailored Suits and Coats for Large Women \$16.50 to \$25.00

Extra showing of tailor made Suits for large women in serges, worsteds and gray mixtures, made with special measures and cut in the newest styles for stout people, bust measures from 35 to 43.

Very Exclusive Styles in Fine Tailor Made Suits From ..... \$27.50 to \$47.50

### The Top Coat is Now on the Top Crest of Favor

We show the "La Vogue" Coats in all styles and prices. They fit and keep their shape. Priced from ..... \$10.98 to \$18.50

We carry a splendid line of Misses' Long Coats, 14, 16, 18 and 20 year sizes, including fancy English mixtures, new stripe coverts, wide wale diagonals and serges, semi-fitted backs, inlaid shawl collars and cuffs. Prices from ..... \$9.98 to \$18.50

### The Children's Dept. Has Something Interesting to Tell

Whenever you want an inexpensive thing or an expensive thing for little money, don't fail to visit our Children's Department. (Second Floor.)

Children's Broadcloth Coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, colors red and navy, velvet collar and braid trimmed, \$2.98 value ..... \$1.98

Children's Coats, both lined and unlined, tailor made collar with pockets. One style braid trimmed collar and cuffs, in navy, red, reseda, green and Copenhagen. These coats would be cheap at \$3.49. Today your choice ..... \$2.25

There is only one way in which you can appreciate how truly unusual these White Dresses are in fineness of fabric, stitching and trimming, and that is by coming in and studying their beauty. You will be well repaid, even if you care not to buy at once.

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Is done here. We guarantee our Gloves. We carry the popular kinds and styles. All our Kid Gloves are fresh, soft skins. There isn't an old Glove in our stock.

Fownes' Real French Kid Gloves, black embroidered with white and white embroidered with black. Every pair guaranteed and fitted. \$1.50 and \$2 a pair

"Lanark," a fine quality Kid Glove in all the latest spring shades, including tans, browns, grays, raisin, taupe, wistaria, catawba, green, champagne, red, also black and white at .... \$1.00 pair

"The Chanticleer" Two-Clasp Kid Glove, all colors, Paris point embroidered backs, \$1.25 value ..... 79c pair

\$1 and \$1.25 Silk Gloves, in all colors, 12 button length, marked 49c pair

A full line of Kayser's Silk Gloves, 12 and 16 button length, from 75c to \$1.50 pair

Women's Fine Milanese Lisle Thread Gloves, all shades, also Chamoisette Gloves ..... 25c to 59c pair

## The Gilbride Co. On the Corner

## ARRESTED IN NASHUA

### Lowell Men Charged With Breaking and Entering

Henry Regals and Albert Roy, two the police in this city and Inspector Charles Laffamie went to Nashua and arrested in Nashua, N. H. early this morning by Police Officers Rogers and Dettors of that city after it is alleged they had tried to sell a horse and wagon together with two bags of phosphate belonging to Rudia Allard at Nashua. After a high cross examination they had broken into a place in this city and stolen the quilt. Word was immediately telephoned to

while passing through Hudson, N. H., stole two bags of phosphate from a barn, it is charged. They entered Nashua early this morning and while trying to dispose of the outfit were arrested by Officers Rogers and Dettors. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**McLEAN NOT REINSTATED**  
CINCINNATI, April 1.—President Garry Herrmann of the Cincinnati Nationals today said that Harry McLean, the suspended catcher of the local team, had not been reinstated. Herrmann declared he had done nothing in the case since he accepted McLean's resignation.

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# HUSBAND VS. WIFE

## Arguments in the Hopner Equity Case Made Today

The arguments in the hotly contested case of Julius Hopner vs. Sadie and Carrie Hopner, his wife and daughter, in a bill of equity brought by the husband to recover money and property held by his wife and daughter, which he alleges are his, were heard before C. H. Conant as master at the court house this morning.

Mr. Donahue, who represents the respondents, made the first argument. "In the ordinary case of man and wife," he said, "the wife does the work at home while the man goes forth and is the earner. But in the case of the Hopners conditions were entirely different. When the Hopners joined their fortunes in life's journey, the wife was an earner and a worker and had money. She continued to work and earn throughout her married life when she came to this country she had certain money and goods which she gave to her husband.

Mr. Hopner showed on the witness stand that he is a man of keen intellect. There is no evidence that Hopner ever raised any question as to his wife's right to work and keep the money she earned. The money she earned by keeping boarders was her own money. The men who boarded with her bought their own provisions and paid her for their cooking and care. She was a thrifty woman and she accumulated money all the time and the trouble began when the property was bought in McIntire street. Hopner claimed that he earned and gave his wife a substantial amount of money, while she claims he could hardly support himself. The property was bought in the name of both and Hopner made no objection. In the establishment of the baths, Mr. Hopner was again the leading spirit. She did the work and collected the money and it was started with her money. After the property was purchased in Haverhill Hopner lived there, returning home only once a week while Mrs. Hopner remained in Lowell working all the time and earning and accumulating money. She paid the mortgage on the Lowell property from her earnings. When their troubles began they went first to the Rabbi for advice and he advised them to go to a lawyer. Her idea was to put Mr. Hopner in full possession of the Haverhill property and Mrs. Hopner in full possession of

the Lowell property and after the exchange of the deeds it is found that the deed of the Haverhill property was recorded while the deed to the Lowell property after the transfer suddenly disappeared without being recorded. Despite the advice of the Jewish law and the law of the land, Hopner has secreted this deed in his endeavor to get his wife's property away from her. Several witnesses showed that Hopner made no objection when the transfer was made. Mrs. Hopner had been working hard, sometimes getting \$50 a week as a midwife. Her life is a remarkable story of what a hard working, thrifty woman can do in this country. Starting to work for a living when she was but 10 years of age, coming here a young woman and showing an earning capacity of from \$30 to \$50 per week as she has done at times. Her daughter although a school girl and money for her brother was earning \$30 a week and sending money home to his sister who saved it as she did from the allowance given her by her mother. She saved \$600 and put it into property. It is hers, not her father's. In life's battle in the hunger for the accumulation of money affection often flies out the door and such is the most unfortunate feature of this case.

At the conclusion of Mr. Donahue's argument Lawyer Cohen for the petitioner produced the deeds that had been missing in the case.

Lawyer Cohen for Mr. Hopner in opening stated that his client was in an unfortunate position being indigent and unable to meet the expense of a trial such as the case should warrant. Mr. Donahue interrupted with the statement that the Haverhill property was in Mr. Hopner's name. Mr. Cohen did not reply but continued his argument. He referred to the difficulty of establishing a trust between husband and wife and stated that he would do it by the acts and conversations with others by the principles and the actions of others in their presence. If there is any woman who ought to be compelled to support Hopner, it is Mrs. Hopner for she is responsible for his physical condition and she knows it. The idea that Mrs. Hopner had money when she came to this country, he said, is ridiculous, as her husband stole her tickets and money with which to get here. Hopner, he says knows no more about the customs of this country than when he came here and he landed over his money to her under the mistaken belief that he could have it back whenever he wanted it. "and I maintain," said Mr. Cohen, "that she encouraged him by intimating that he could get it back. This is the crucial point in this case. From Mrs. Hopner's admissions on the witness stand I claim she believed that he believed he could take that money any time that he wanted. Mr. Cohen finished shortly before 1 o'clock and no decision was given. As Mr. Conant, the master, must report the facts and his finding to the superior court, in equity session before a decision is entered.

### DEATHS

**CROWE**—Cornelius Crowe, aged 70 years, one of the older and best known residents of Centralville, and a devout attendant of St. Michael's church, died this morning at his home, 75 Coburn street. Deceased, who had not been enjoying good health of late, although his condition was not regarded as serious, passed away suddenly. He leaves a wife and three sons, Cornelius, John and Thomas Crowe.

**GUILFOYLE**—Mrs. Susan Guilfoyle, aged 75 years, died this morning at her home, 45 Union street. The deceased has been a resident of Lowell for a number of years and a most devout member of St. Peter's parish, she being one of the oldest parishioners. She was of a kind and loving disposition, a true Christian, and was beloved by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Her death will be mourned by a wide circle of friends. She leaves a daughter, Miss Mary J. Guilfoyle and one son, Thomas Guilfoyle of Colorado. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

**TIERNY**—Mary A. Tierny died last night at her late home, 5 Conant's court off Fayette street, aged 75 years. She is survived by one sister.

**SHORE**—Mrs. Sarah Shore, aged 59 years, wife of Zachariah Shore, died early last night at her home, 151 Humphrey street. The deceased was a well known and highly respected resident of Centralville and a devoted member of St. Michael's church. She was a loving wife and a kind and attentive mother. Her beautiful disposition made for her many friends and she was held in high esteem by all her acquaintances. Of late she had been ill, but was a patient sufferer, because her sufferings with Christian fortitude. She leaves to mourn her loss beside her husband, four sons, James A. Francis T. William T. and Raymond; and one daughter, Mary F., all of this city, and three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Sheldon, Mrs. Mary A. McMillen at Syracuse, N. Y., and Mrs. Thomas O'Tool of Brooklyn, N. Y.

**GOUCHER**—Rev. Wm. G. Goucher, for many years a Baptist minister and for sometime a resident of this city, died last night at his home, 220 Baldwin street. His age was 82 years, 11 months and 25 days. He suffered from a shock about 10 days ago and from this he never recovered.

Rev. Mr. Goucher was born in Niagara, Nova Scotia, and was educated at Acadia college. His first pastorate was in Yarmouth. Later he came to the United States and occupied pulpits in various places in Vermont and in Andover and Southwick, Mass. It was in Southwick that he did his final active work. While he had not a church in Lowell he had on several occasions occupied as a supply preacher the pulpits of the Branch street tabernacle and the Fifth street church. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. N. C. Saunders and Miss Ida, Mrs. Goucher of this city and Mrs. Fred Sparham of Richmond, Vt., and one brother, James Goucher, who lives in Nova Scotia.

**ROSE**—Andrew B. Rose, aged 68 years, died yesterday at his home, 66

Whitney avenue. He leaves a wife, one daughter, Mrs. Edith Parkhurst of Chelmsford, and one grandson, Elliot King Parkhurst. Mr. Rose had a large circle of friends, formed during a long residence in this city, he having come here as a small boy. He was for many years an overseer in the Massachusetts mills, but retired a few years ago and moved to Chelmsford. He soon returned to Lowell, however, and some five years ago, bought the grocery store at the corner of Bridge and Eleventh streets. Mr. Rose was a member of the common council from ward 1 in

1897-8 and was also a member of the Masons, Lowell lodge, K. of P. of which he was for many years the treasurer and of Centralville lodge of Odd Fellows.

**HARDIE**—Mrs. Martha Hardie, a well known member of the High Street Congregational church, died last night at her home, 9 Waterford street. Her age was 60 years and eight months. She was the widow of the late George H. Hardie. She is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Emmett Winters of Methuen, Mrs. Joe Bissell of Lawrence, and Misses Martha, Anna, Grace and Susan

Hardie, one brother, John Price of Haverhill, and two sisters, Mrs. George Charles and Mrs. Anne Douglass of Lowell.

**SPLAIN**—John B. Splain, aged 32 years, a well known young man, residing in Forge Village, died at his home in that place this morning. He is survived by a mother and three sisters.

**JOY**—Melissa E. Joy, aged 10 mos., 19 days, child of Ethelbert and Annie, died today at their home in Haverhill street, Elmsmere, Dracut.

**BURNS**—Frederick J. Burns, aged 27 years, died this morning at the family residence, 329 Concord street. He was the son of John and Sarah Burns, and besides his parents he is survived by a sister, Miss Etta Burns, the well known teacher at the Butler school, and one brother, John Burns. Mr. Burns was a well known young resident of Belvidere and also was a prominent member of Lowell Acile of Eagles. For a number of years he has managed a lunch wagon at the corner of Bridge and Palae streets. Last Tuesday night he was taken ill with a severe cold while attending to his work, and upon arriving home was obliged to take to his bed. Pneumonia developed in a few hours and he passed away early this morning.

**RETURNED TO TEWKSBURY**—One of the two insane girls who escaped from the state infirmary at Tewksbury the day before yesterday returned to that institution last night and from information received by the officials of the place it is expected that the other girl will voluntarily return before tomorrow.

### NOTICE TO THE READERS OF THE LOWELL SUN!

Please remember that we have moved from our Gorham Street store and are now located at our new store, 160-162 Middlesex street, between Elliot and South Sts.

**SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK**—Heavy Iron Bedstead, brass trimmed, National spring and soft top mattress, complete, all sizes, price ..... \$6.95

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## A Delightful Hair Dressing That Makes Hair Grow

### Favorite With Men and Women the Country Over

There is a reason for the phenomenal sale of Parisian Sage in the United States since it was first introduced into America.

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Ask Carter & Sherburne about it. They will tell you that they rigidly guarantee it to cure dandruff, stop falling hair or itching scalp in two weeks or money back.

There is no reason whatever why any man or woman should fail to take advantage of the above generous offer. But one thing that has made Parisian Sage so famous is its peculiar power to turn the harsh, unattractive hair that many women possess into luxuriant and radiant hair in a short time. Women of refinement the country over are using it and it never disappoints. Read this letter:

"I procured Parisian Sage and found that it was a great hair tonic and cleanser. I have used other preparations but Parisian Sage cleaned the scalp, stopped all irritation, made my

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Sold by leading druggists everywhere and in Lowell by Carter & Sherburne for 50 cents a large bottle. The girl with auburn hair is on every package.



Mail orders filled, charges prepaid, by the American makers, Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Lowell, Friday, April 1, 1910

# A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

**\$15 Long Serge Coats**  
**\$12.50**

Made of extra quality serge; 50 inches long, self lined, shawl and notch collar. Colors: Black or blue. Sizes 14 to 18 years and 34 to 44.

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These are the kind that wear and wash well because they are the celebrated "Dix Make," and the colorings and materials are good and sturdy. Every one is a thoroughly well liked and reliable garment. Sizes 34 to 46. All colorings. Price.. 98c

**Nurses' Uniforms**

The regulation nurses' uniforms. Made of chambray and gingham stripes. Sizes 34 to 46. These uniforms are made by "Dix," which is a guarantee for the fit.

Ladies' Department

Second Floor

**Women's Practical Suits**

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—  
**MARKED**

**\$22.50** From \$25.00  
and \$27.50

**A SPECIAL BARGAIN FOR THE FIRST TWO DAYS OF APRIL**

Women who, for one reason or another, have been unable to think of their spring suits until now will be benefited if they buy their spring suits during this sale. Made of fine serge, chain diagonals and diagonal worsteds. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Made in all the spring shades. This is an actual mark down for two days only.



Ladies' Department

Second Floor

### HELP WANTED

We need a dozen extra sales girls for our Great Enamel Ware Sale which begins Monday next. Please make application at Mr. Smith's office, Merrimack St. Basement.

Excellent Values in

### WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Reductions in price that will save the prudent shopper a third and more.

**Black and Tan Lace Hose—19c** quality for ..... 12 1-2c a pair

**Black and Tan Cotton Hose—25c** quality for ..... 19c a pair

**Black or Tan Gauze Silk Lisle Hose—25c** quality for ..... 19c a pair

**Black Lisle Hose—38c** quality for ..... 25c a pair

**Plain Lisle Hose—Embroidered** 50c quality for ..... 38c a pair

West Section Left Aisle

### HELP WANTED

We can use four more clerks in our Underprice Shoe Section on Saturday afternoons and evenings. Inquire at the desk. Palmer St. Basement.

### TEA and COFFEE

**SPECIAL AT 90c**

5 Pounds Sugar,  
1 Pound Coffee,  
1-2 Pound Tea,  
1 Pound Can Baking Powder,  
1 Glass Dried Beef,  
**ALL FOR 90c**

Merrimack St. Basement

### HELP WANTED

A young man can find employment in our House Furnishing Section as stock clerk and packer.

### Dress Linens

Are being sold for a few days at one-third less than regular prices.

### WHITE LINENS

**150 Pieces Heavy White Linen Crash**—(Union) Rummie effect, 27 inches wide, very stylish for two-piece suits; also for boys' suits, regular price 35c, sale price.. 21c

**10 Pieces Plain White Linen (Union)** Medium weight, full 36 inches wide, regular price 35c, sale price.. 25c

**12 Pieces Plain White Linen—Light**, medium and heavy weight, suitable for ladies' and children's dresses, boys' suits, etc. 36 inches wide, regular price 42c, sale price.. 29c

**10 Pieces Fine Medium Weight Linen**—Round thread, 36 inches wide, regular price 50c, sale price..... 39c

**10 Pieces Fine Waisting Linen and Old Bleached Linens**—36 inches wide, regular price 62c, sale price.. 50c

**20 Pieces Assorted**—In the better qualities, for waists, dresses, etc. 36 and 45 inches wide, regular prices 75c, 80c, \$1.00, sale prices 58c, 62c and 69c

**A Few Pieces Unshrinkable Linen**—Having been shrunk by the best known process, 34 1/2 inches wide, regular prices 50c and 60c, sale prices..... 39c and 58c

**A Few Choice Pieces of Embroidered Linens**—At a great reduction from regular prices.

### COLORED LINENS

**4 Pieces Fine Blouse Linens**—36 in. wide, all pure linen, regular price 35c, sale price..... 25c

**15 Pieces Pure Irish Linen**—All colors, full 36 inches wide, regular price 42c, sale price..... 29c

**12 Extra Fine Real French Linens**—In all the best French colorings, full 48 inches wide, regular price 75c, sale price..... 50c

Linens are adapted to so many purposes that we feel confident if you take the trouble to see this lot of linens that you will be sure to find some to suit your purpose, either in white or colors.

Palmer Street Centre Aisle

## Price Cutting in Toilet Goods

Seems to be in order, so we'll try it, too, and if you'll notice the savings you'll buy these while the "buying's good."

### TOILET SOAPS AND RUBBER GLOVES.

SOAPS	Old Price	New Price
Williams' Shaving Sticks	25c	18c
Williams' Shaving Powder	25c	18c
Williams' Shaving Tablets	8c	5c
Colgate's Shaving Sticks	25c	18c
Colgate's Shaving Powder	25c	18c
Colgate's Almond Cream Soap, 3 in box	10c	8c cake, 20c box
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet (Large, 3 in box)	10c	24c cake, 69c box
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet (Small, 6 in box)	10c	15c cake, \$1.00 bx.
Colgate's Castile, 4 oz. cake, (12 in box)	10c	7c cake, 75c box
Colgate's Cold Cream (3 in box)	10c	9c cake, 25c box
Colgate's Coleo (3 in box)	10c	15c cake, 42c box
Colgate's Oatmeal (3 in box)	10c	9c cake, 25c box
Colgate's Vioris (3 in box)	10c	15c cake, 42c box
Colgate's Imperial Lile (3 in box)	10c	8c cake, 20c box
Colgate's White Clematis (3 in box)	10c	8c cake, 20c box

### SPECIAL

Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap.....10c 7c cake

### RUBBER GLOVES

Superior Seamless Red Household.....50c 69c  
Gloves for Spring House Cleaning, guaranteed against all defects in workmanship or material.

West Section

North Aisle

## Basement Bargain Dept.

Unusual Price Inducements for Friday and Saturday

<b>Good and Strong Apron Gingham</b> —In half pieces, large assortment of checks, 7c value, at..... 5c yard	<b>Yard Wide Percale</b> —In half pieces, in dark and light colors, all new patterns for waists, dresses and wrappers, only..... 8c yard	<b>All Linen Lace Edges and Insertion</b> to Match—From 1 inch to 4 1/2 inches wide, for curtains, etc. 10c value, at..... 5c yard
<b>Otis Gingham Remnants</b> —In checks and stripes, 32 inches wide and fast colors, for aprons and mill skirts, 12 1/2c value, at..... 10c yard	<b>Linen Broderie Suiting</b> —Linen finish in plain and stripes, 15c value, at..... 10c yard	<b>Children's Rompers</b> —Made of good Khaki cloth and made full size, 50c value, at..... 25c
<b>New Lot of those Fine Gingham Remnants</b> —In plain chambray, checks and stripes, 10c value, at..... 8c yard	<b>Fine Zephyr Gingham Remnants</b> —In new colorings, plaids and checks, 32 inches wide, equal in quality to imported gingham, sold for 25c, only..... 12 1/2c yard	<b>Ladies' Lisle Thread Vests</b> —Steeple, accords of the 25c value, at..... 12 1/2c each
<b>Just Opened</b> —One case of Silk Finish Diagonal Suiting—In light, medium and dark colors, very handsome fabric for spring dresses, 15c value, at..... 10c yard	<b>Good Bargains in Embroideries</b> —8c quality at..... 5c yard 12 1/2c quality at..... 8c yard the quality at..... 10c yard	<b>Ladies' Black Cotton Hose</b> —Labeled top, 12 1/2c value, at..... 10c pair
<b>Pekin Stripes Suiting</b> —In plain colors only, large assortment of colors, 12 1/2c value, at..... 10c yard		<b>Ladies' Cotton Hose</b> —Seconds of the 10c quality, at..... 5c pair
		<b>Ladies' Jersey Vests and Pants</b> —Shirts in regular and extra sizes, low and high neck, long and short sleeves, 25c value, at..... 19c each



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The variously colored veins in this paper give it the semblance of real onyx. It is a sturdy paper too, and will stand as much wear as leather. These Onyx Paper articles are artistic and useful as well. They can be decorated with pictures in oil or water color. This, however, is only a partial list of pretty things we have for decoration, but you are welcome to come in any time and examine the full line. Obligation to buy never goes with a visit to Coburn's.

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Plott, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1910. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

Prosperity must be crowding the Massachusetts Mfg. company pretty hard since they have to demolish several large and substantial structures, some of them but recently built to give way to new.

## THE MUNICIPAL AUTO.

One of the economic problems of metropolitan cities is to keep down the automobile bills for service in the departments. Where formerly the head of a department used a horse, he has now an automobile.

In some departments an ordinary auto will not suffice as one big enough to carry committees and delegations is required. When a committee decides to visit a neighboring city for the purpose of investigation, the auto if big enough is very handy. It is wonderful though how speedily these municipal autos wear out to be thrown aside for new. This system of transporting city officials and municipal committees is far worse than the mileage book or the occasional junket. It is a perennial expense that the city must meet; but it is only the metropolitan cities that can afford to place such luxuries at the service of their public officials.

## EMPLOYERS' BOYCOTT ILLEGAL.

It is a poor law that does not work both ways, and according to a decision by Judge Fitzgerald of the supreme court of New York, the law that leaves a labor union liable in certain cases for a boycott or conspiracy applies equally to employers who set out to blacklist men because of their membership in unions.

The decision was given in the boycott suit brought by the Enterprise association of steamfitters against the Building Trades Employers' association.

The Builders' association which comprises nearly all the builders in Greater New York, requires a \$1500 bond from each employe as a guarantee that the terms of the agreement shall be strictly carried out. Judge Fitzgerald holds that this bond system is coercive and illegal, but Judge Alton B. Parker asserts that it is legal.

In the case in question the Steamfitters on the expiration of their trade agreement, last December, demanded an increase of wages and better working conditions. Their demands were refused whereupon they went on strike. To assist the master steamfitters in bringing their workmen to terms, the Building Employers' association adopted a resolution binding all its members not to employ any member of the striking Steamfitters' association. One member disobeyed the order at first but was promptly notified in writing to have the Enterprise Steamfitters discharged. This latter order was obeyed and thus it was made impossible for any member of the Steamfitters' association to find employment in Greater New York.

The directors of the Employers' association may be further proceeded against for criminal conspiracy. All this goes to show that the boycott in any form is held to be illegal whether it be conducted by employers or employes.

## THE TENEMENT HOUSE PROBLEM.

The tenement house problem is one of the great questions with this and every other community. Tenements there are that seem to have come down from a remote age, yet in spite of antiquity and lack of modern conveniences they are still occupied, still rented and the owners from sheer force of habit refuse to show any interest in the property beyond paying the taxes and collecting the rents.

The owners of such tenements are cogs upon the wheels of progress, for if they possessed the least spark of enterprise they would long ago have rebuilt the property or at least put it in decent repair. Wherever a property owner of this stamp he found he should be forced to do his duty to the city by putting the tenements into proper sanitary condition and by making such repairs as would make them fairly comfortable and fairly respectable. For the people who live in such tenements there can be only pity at their lack of spirit or else their straitened circumstances. But there is another side to the tenement feature and one that is more difficult to handle. When property owners do improve their tenements, put them in first class condition, so far as sanitation and general accommodation are concerned, the occupants will crowd them to the extent of suffocation and show no regard whatever for the proper care of the property, its neatness, cleanliness or preservation. This crowding in small tenements is a difficult problem to deal with. How will it be stopped?

If the people crowd into a tenement big enough for but half the number what is to be done?

If the building department or the board of health could fix a minimum air space for each individual occupant in tenements, the crowding might be prevented, but although this crowding is one of the worst obstacles to good health yet nothing of this kind has been done or even attempted.

We doubt whether any government authority can impose such rules and nobody but the owner of the property has a right to say just what the maximum number of occupants for any particular tenement shall be.

The property owner does not care to order families out but if there be a proper understanding that anything in the nature of crowding will not be tolerated then the evil might be remedied.

For this reason it would be well if the health authorities enlisted the cooperation of the property owners in order to prevent crowding, to promote cleanliness and the application of the laws of hygiene, all of which is absolutely necessary for the protection of the public against the white plague and other diseases.

The police department is now doing a great deal in the line of health work by calling the attention of owners and occupants to anything objectionable from a sanitary standpoint on their premises. This alone will soon teach those who have been remiss in such matters, that the laws for the protection of the public health are to be enforced just as faithfully as the laws against the commission of crime.

## SEEN AND HEARD

The following story was recently told by Governor Fernald of Maine at a dinner in Boston.

"A Bostonian spent some time last summer at one of the Maine fishing villages, and during his first day's visit met one of the village boys with a fine string of fish. 'How much do you want for them,' asked the Bostonian. 'Thirty cents,' replied the boy. 'Only 30 cents,' queried the man, 'why if you had them in Boston you could get \$3 for them.' 'Yes,' replied the boy, 'and if I had a pair of water in shades I could get a million for it.'"

The following, addressed to and published in the Brooklyn Eagle, expresses something that we have felt quite strongly and about which we have endeavored to conceal our feelings, but now that such feelings are out in prose and poetry we add our endorsement:

I am up in rebellion and feel, like leading a crusade against that abominable thing called the haberdasher's open-front shirt, with its stiff bosom and little pearl buttons. While laboriously endeavoring to release myself from its thralldom one evening last week, my mind reverted to Hood's "Song of the Shirt," and a parody gradually evolved itself in my brain, which I herewith submit for publication, with apologies to Hood.

I see by the store windows that the bosoms are stiffer and the buttons smaller than ever this season. Is there any balm in Gilead or must we suffer this affliction to the bitter end? Herewith the rhymed protest:

With finger nails sore to the quick,  
With heavy eyes sleepy, inert,  
A man sat in dread on the edge of his bed  
And strove to unbutton his shirt,  
Starch! starch! starch!  
And wee buttons, the bane of his life,  
A man feels like a calf as he thinks  
How he'd laugh  
At the open-back waist of his wife.

With a button, each eighth of an inch  
From the collar band down to the wrist,  
But the dress stuff is pliant, not stiff  
And defiant,  
Not starched like a board—as his shirt.

Tug! tug! tug!  
Till the finger nails threaten to break;

Tug! tug! tug!  
Till the wrists and the elbow joints  
ache!

He wet and he softened each hole,  
But the buttons he could not undo:  
Though he tugged and he twisted, the  
buttons resisted,  
The holes they just would not slip  
through.  
Hole, and button and band,  
Band, and button, and hole  
Till over the buttons he fell fast  
asleep.

And in dreams thus delivered his  
soul:  
"Oh ye who the shirt fashions set,  
Oh ye who design the men's shirts,  
Cut not then alone, but you slash to  
the bone  
Fellowmen, and I tell you it hurts.  
Slaves! slaves! slaves!  
Ye slaves of the open-front shirt:  
Ere you're driven by starch to un-  
timely graves  
Rise up and your manhood assert.

"Hark back to the halcyon days,  
Of the old-fashioned open-back  
shirt,  
So easy to put on, with one collar but-  
ton,  
Not a muscle you had to exert,  
Clean! clean! clean!  
Your bosom was fresh and unsmushed,  
Your finger nails all were intact,  
No small buttons excited disgust.

"Haberdashers, I bid you beware,  
Some day men will rise in their  
might,  
And demand you prepare a shirt they  
can wear.  
With comfort, if not with delight,  
Starch! starch! starch!  
Starch the bosoms as much as you  
please,  
But give us once more the shirt as  
of yore,  
You can button yourself at your  
ease."

—E. K. T.

## 54 HOUR BILL

FIBRE AND FABRIC SEVERELY  
CRITICIZES THE MEASURE

[From Fibre and Fabric.]

The labor leaders inform us that their 54-hour bill is again before the Massachusetts legislature, and such being the case the annual contest will soon begin, regardless of the fact that

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Anniversary Sale of "Chic"  
Muslin Underwear

COMBINATIONS—Corset Cover and Skirt and Corset Cover and, Drawers, usual "Chic" fit and finish..... 50c, 59c and 75c each

GOWNS—Nainsook and muslin gowns, square or high neck, lace or embroidery trimmed..... 50c and 59c each  
Gowns of "Fruit of the Loom" muslin, tucked yoke, long sleeves, full size, 69c each

CORSET COVERS of good nainsook, trimmed with pretty pattern torchon lace and insertion, beading and ribbon..... 35c each, 3 for \$1.00

All muslin underwear sold by us is made here in Lowell, in one of the cleanest and most up-to-date shops in the country. Endorsed by the National Consumers' League. Prices quoted in this sale represent a saving of fully one-third. "Chic" goods only at

## The "CHIC" Shop

32 CENTRAL STREET

the bulk of operatives organized and otherwise have clearly repudiated the action of their leaders, in the matter of the 56-hour law that went into force on January 1, of the present year. It has been a long time since a law went into effect that has created so many petty difficulties, as this same 56-hour law, and it was the operatives that brought on the trouble. In view of the recent strikes, practically throughout Massachusetts, simply on account of this law which the manu-

facturers must obey, we cannot see how the legislature can entertain a similar measure cutting off two more hours from the laboring man's working week. It would be entirely foreign to any well organized mill corporation to attempt to operate without its women and minor workers, and it would not be good management for the corporation to pay for hours not occupied by its help. Consequently the 56-hour law instead of applying to women and minors, includes a large portion of the help in a mill, and naturally there is a protest. The operatives are forced to out the time of the most of their help and they have no choice in the matter, and with all the conditions understood, it looks as if organized labor would lend its support to the 54-hour bill, purely out of principle.

Few mill workers receive enough pay during a week to afford excessive luxuries, and more find it difficult to make both ends meet. With a full knowledge that 56 hours or 58 hours are but a fair week's work, it is beyond our conception how the level-headed men and women will continue to be led astray as they are by their leaders. The labor agitation on the subject of the working week seems to be misunderstood. The help are given the impression that a law making a shorter week is just the same as an increase in wages as they should get just as much pay for 56 hours as for 58 hours. The same arguments are used to gain support for the 54 hour law now before the legislature, and the usual sears about the labor-rate are being presented to the legislators. It is possible that the law will pass, but if it does the Massachusetts legislature has a grave responsibility on its hands and organized labor is more apt to be solid against the members from the manufacturing districts, than for them, if they further decrease the working hours per week.

No manufacturer is likely to pay his five hundred to five thousand hands for hours during which no service is rendered any more than are the operatives going to work four hours a week for nothing, and if the textile manufacturing industry is to be so constantly regulated by law, its expansion will be seriously checked, as the managers of the mills and their shareholders will have no particular voice in the corporate management. The manufacturing side of the textile

## FINE CONCERT

ARRANGED AS OPENING FEATURE  
OF A. O. H. BAZAAR

At the musicale and concert of Irish airs which will be given in Associate hall on Sunday evening as the opening feature of the Ancient Order of Hibernians' bazaar, the following program will be carried out:

Orchestra.  
Solo, "Ireland I Love You,"  
Master Edward Conley (Boy Soprano).  
Baritone solo, selected.  
Mr. Andrew McCarthy.  
Reading, "In Bohemia."  
Mr. Wm. F. Thornton.  
Tenor solo, "Believe Me."  
Mr. Harry Hopkins.  
Overture, "William Tell."  
Orchestra.  
Soprano solo, "Killarney."  
Miss Mary E. Whiteley.  
Tenor solo, "Minstrel Boy."  
Mr. John J. Dalton.  
Contralto solo, "Kathleen Mavourneen,"  
Mrs. F. L. Roberts.  
Baritone solo, "The Song of Wexford,"  
Mr. Jas. E. Donnelly.  
"Star Spangled Banner."  
Orchestra.  
Accompanist,  
Mr. John J. Kelly.  
Mr. James E. Donnelly will have charge of the affair.

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55 Trimmed Hats, .....\$10 Each | 100 Trimmed Hats.....\$5.00 Each  
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Men's Suits at \$12.95

All the newest models in plaid cheviot, check weaves, herring-bones, fancy worsteds, rough effects as well as plain and fancy blue serge. Every garment hand tailored at all essential points thus assuring the perfect fit of the much higher priced garment.

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Young men's models that are smart and snappy. Also more conservative styles for men who do not want the extreme styles. Woolens that will under long severe wear retain their original freshness. Tailored so perfectly in and out that the crisp style is in to stay.

Men's Suits at \$20.00

Individually cut and tailored by experts. Made of handsome silky two tone over plaids, duffed and diamond weaves in gray, tan, brown and blue. No better tailoring possible by human hands than enter into the making of these \$20 garments.

Special Bargain in  
Ladies' Raincoats

Made of all the different materials  
in black, blue, gray, tan, red and green.  
Made to sell at \$6 to \$15. While they  
last,

\$4.89

Ladies' Suits at \$14.95

Here's where we are strong. People don't want to pay fancy high prices when they can get the right thing at a medium price. These suits are made to our order by experts who know their business. Made in black, blue, green, wistaria and mustard shades in serges, panama, worsteds, and prunella cloth. Cut in the latest styles and equal to an \$18 suit any time.

Ladies' Suits at \$17.95

Our lines at this price are equal to \$25 suits and will stand comparison. Don't take our word—look for yourself. Made in all the newest cloths and cut in this spring's newest fashions.

If you are a stout size up to 51 come in and see us. We carry them in stock at all times,

\$12.95 to \$25.00

## Anniversary Sale in Bargainland Started Today



**RIFLE PRACTICE**Senate Passed Bill  
Calling for \$100,000

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The senate has passed unanimously the senate bill appropriating \$100,000 for rifle practice in the schools and universities of the country, and among civilian clubs. This bill has been endorsed by the National Rifle association, and has received the support of President Taft and ex-President Roosevelt.

There are at the present time 33 universities, colleges and schools where army officers are detailed with an enrollment in the military department of 22,910. These include the agricultural schools which receive appropriations under the Morrill act. Of their number only 329 receive outdoor instruction and 9743 gallery practice. In addition to the above institutions there are 28 private military schools with an approximate attendance of 2500. Through lack of proper facilities, such practice as they have is of little value.

The proposed appropriation is to be devoted to civilian and school boy rifle practice. An interesting exhibit of what is being done in other countries to promote rifle practice among civilian rifle clubs and in the schools accompanied the report made by Senator Briggs. In Canada the Dominion Rifle association receives annually from the Canadian government a subsidy of \$15,000, besides a full allowance of ammunition, amounting to 100,000 cartridges each year.

The government of Great Britain donates each year to the National Rifle association of that country 500,000 rounds of cartridges for use in the annual contests held at Bisley, and furnishes the Bisley meetings with soldiers to run the matches and camp equipage for the use of competitors. The National Rifle association of that country has an annual income, which last year amounted to nearly \$100,000. Affiliated with the National association are 200 minor associations and 1700 clubs. About 150 schools have cadet corps in which rifle practice is carried on, and each year there is a contest among the schools for a trophy presented by Lord Ashburton. Australia has a reserve force of 50,000 civilian riflemen and appropriates \$100,000 annually for ammunition for their practice. The railroads in Australia give free transportation to members of the rifle clubs when traveling to and from the ranges. Forty thousand schoolboys are organized into cadet corps and are furnished arms and ammunition by the government and receive instruction in rifle practice.

In France the government issues rifles free to the rifle clubs and last year the free issue of ammunition to such clubs cost the government \$100,000. The government also appropriates \$100,000 to the national society which is used for prizes and decorations. The departments cooperate in the teaching of rifle practice to the children. The war department helps with arms and ammunition, the department of interior with money and the department of public instruction by encouraging the development of rifle exercises in the schools. Boys under 17 years of age are furnished with the miniature rifle

**A LITTLE RED SPOT**Novel Experiment by Which it May Be  
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A peculiar feature about Poslam, the new skin discovery, is that no one is asked to buy it without first sending to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, for an experimental sample and applying same to an affected part of the skin, about the size of a silver dollar. It will clear the spot so treated in twenty-four hours—a remarkable visual demonstration of its powers.

While Poslam has been mentioned principally in connection with the cure of eczema, the most stubborn of skin diseases, it must be remembered that when used for itch, hives, pimples, blotches, acne, itching feet, scaly scalp, chafing of infants and similar minor skin troubles its action is all the more pronounced, results being seen after an overnight application. As only a small quantity of Poslam is necessary to cure such cases, a special fifty-cent package, usually sufficient, has been placed on sale at Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's and other leading drug stores in Lowell and throughout the country.

and all over that age with the army rifle.

In 1882 the Italian government organized for the purpose of teaching all citizens to properly handle the military rifle. This organization is under the supervision of the secretary of war who has his headquarters in Rome. Total or partial exemption from military duty is given to members of the rifle clubs who have profitably taken shooting lessons for two years. Shooting

grounds are provided at the joint expense of the societies in the country where located and the government which also gives each branch of the national association, according to the number of members sufficient rifles and sells the ammunition at cost prices. The day for practice is always Sunday so the workmen can attend the meetings without losing a day's work. A military instructor is in charge to teach the rules of shooting, care of the rifle and individual and company drill. This instructor is an officer of the army and all shooting is carefully watched by him. Each year there are community matches, every two years inter-county matches and every five years a national civilian match. This match is generally held in Rome and the occasion is made a legal and popular holiday. The government gives free railroad tickets to representatives from the various branches while other marksmen who attend are allowed 75 per cent discount on the cost of railroad tickets. In the last match which lasted 15 days about 30,000 men took part. The list of prizes had among the donors the king and queen of Italy, members of the parliament, the cities, the counties, the government, ladies of nobility and others. The giving of the prizes is attended by the civil and military authorities. The king gives the prizes to the first three men in each class.

In Switzerland there are more than 3000 shooting societies with over 200,000 members. In 1909 the date of the last report received, 89,399 members qualified as marksmen. If the same ratio were maintained in proportion to population, the United States would have 4,280,000 marksmen.

The government of Sweden annually appropriates \$153,750 towards rifle practice which is apportioned among grants to rifle clubs, to the national

shooting societies, for ammunition, target ranges, target prizes, printing, etc. In 1905 there were 1850 rifle clubs in Sweden.

**EZRA MEEKER**TO RETRACE THE OLD OREGON  
TRAIL

PORTLAND, Or., April 1.—Ezra Meeker, Oregon pioneer, has left Portland in an ox team to retrace the old Oregon trail. On his way east he will set up metal markers along the old trail so that future generations

may not lose the route the pioneers followed to the Pacific coast.

This is a labor of love for Mr. Meeker. He first came to Oregon in a prairie schooner, drawn by an ox team, in 1852. He introduced the homestead law into Washington and founded the town of Puyallup, the center of an extensive hop growing section.

Mr. Meeker made a similar trip to the one he has just undertaken in 1906. He had a duplicate of the old trail made and retraced his journey to the east. His object was to arouse interest in the plan of marking the old Oregon trail in a permanent way and he was largely successful. Many places along the route set up monuments. It is to encourage further work along this line that Mr. Meeker has set out for a third trip across the continent by ox team.

The pioneer, who is willing to undertake such a journey at the age of 80 years, attracted a great deal of attention in the east on his last trip. At Washington he drove his ox team to the White House, where he was welcomed by President Roosevelt. In November, 1907, in New York City, his two patient oxen drawing a prairie schooner caused no end of a sensation. Of course the first thing to do was to greet him, the charge being that of bringing cattle upon the public streets.

Prominent men came to his aid, however, and the pioneer outfit was given the freedom of the city for 30 days. Along Broadway, Mr. Meeker and his oxen were a strange sight. At Philadelphia the aged pioneer was welcomed and was allowed to make camp in City Hall square.

April 20 is "quarter day" at The City Clerk, Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

**FOR COMMUNION SUNDAY**

The committee in charge of the breakfast after the quarterly communion of St. Peter's Holy Name society on Sunday, April 10th, held a meeting last evening and discussed plans for the affair. Pres. Richard Lyons presided and various subcommittees were designated to have charge of the work. Secretary Bernard J. Ward announced that the double post cards would be issued in a few days and emphasized the necessity of prompt replies. Remarks were made by Pres. Lyons, Nicholas Kennedy, Joseph E. McVey and Thomas McGuire.

**CITY OF LOWELL****Dogs**

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Homespun, Cheviots, Soft-faced Woolens, in grays and gray mixtures, in pin check effects, new herringbone weaves, faint stripes on gray grounds, make these suits, from the very newness of the fabrics, extremely attractive. There are quiet worsteds in gray tones, blue serges and fancy weaves in blue, besides the wool goods.

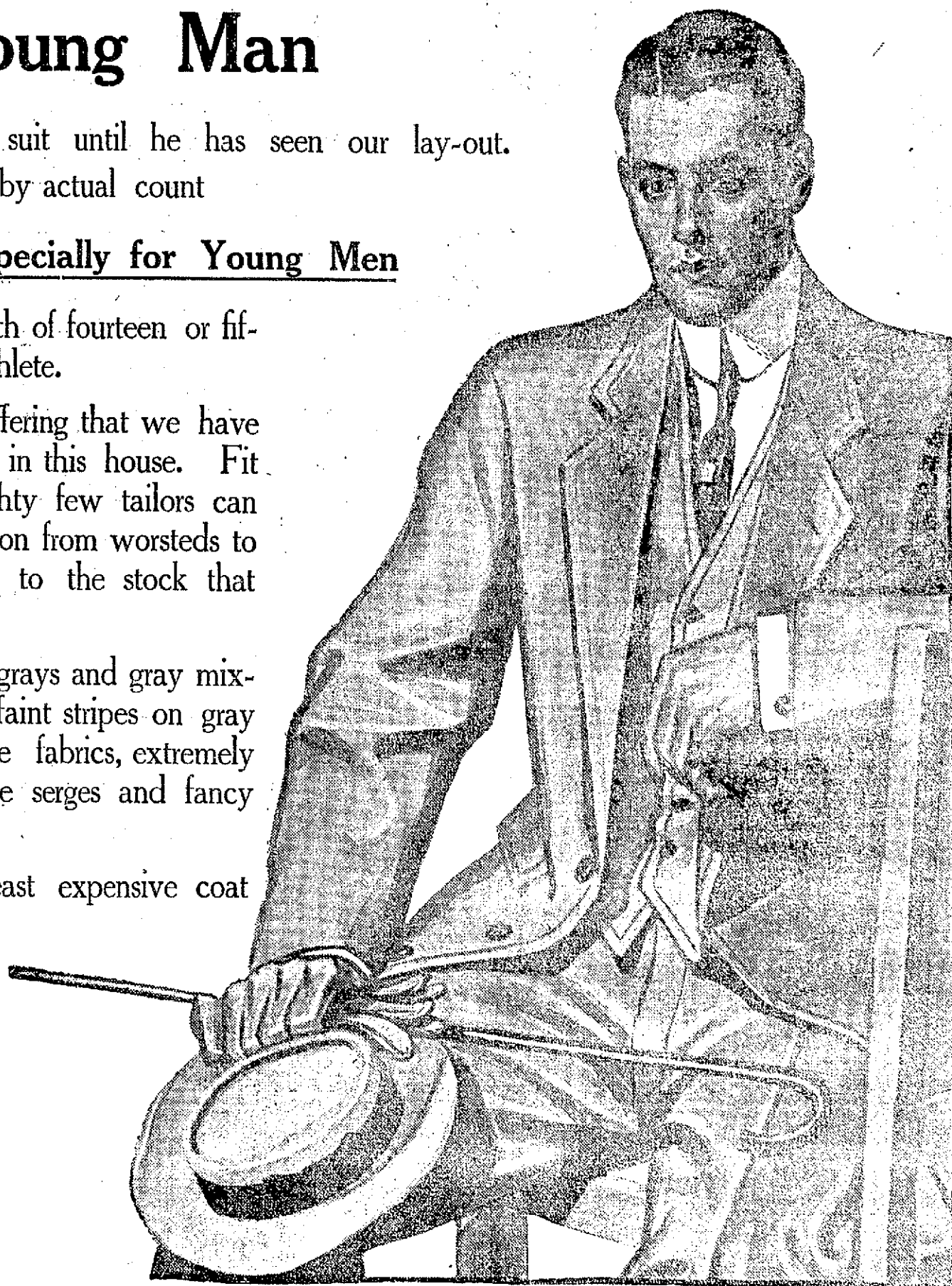
Throughout this stock you will find even the least expensive coat finished with a hand felled collar.

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# SPANISH SWINDLE

## Lowell Man Was Asked to Take a Chance in Game

The Spanish swindlers who are at work again and Wm. Wilby of 98 Washington street, the well known manufacturer, has heard from them.

As Mr. Wilby does considerable business in Europe his name evidently got into the hands of the swindlers who immediately decided to find out how "easy" he might be.

Hence the following letter received by Mr. Wilby a few days ago:

Madrid, March 12, 1910.

Dear Sir:

Although I know you only from good references of your honesty my said situation compels me to reveal you an important affair in which you can procure a modest fortune saving at the same time that of my darling daughter.

Before being imprisoned here I was established as a banker in Russia, as you will see by the enclosed article about me, of many English newspapers which have published my arrest in London.

I beseech you to help me to obtain a sum of \$480,000 I have in America and to come here to raise the seizure of my baggage, paying to the registrar of the court the expenses of my trial and recover my portmanteau containing a secret pocket where I have hidden the document indispensable to recover the said sum.

As a reward I will give up to you the third part, viz \$160,000. I cannot receive your answer in the prison but you must send a cablegram to a person of my confidence who will deliver it to me.

Awaiting your cable to instruct you in all my secret, I am, sir,

Yours truly,

Demidoff.

First of all answer by cable, not by letter, as follows:

Goselva.

Jacometrozo 25 terrace A, Madrid.

Particulars: Wilby.

The enclosed newspaper clipping as follows:

Some months ago, as our readers may remember, we referred in these columns to the great scandal caused in St. Petersburg, and in Russia generally, by a noted banker who absconded, leaving a deficit of over five millions of rubles.

The Russian police sought for him for a long time in vain for it seems he had not left the least trace of his flight and the continued search over Europe and America proved unavailing.

Yesterday, however, a Spanish inspector accompanied by two officers from Scotland Yard and acting under instructions of the Spanish ambassador,

who had previously interviewed the home secretary arrested him on his way from the hotel where he was staying, to the steamship office. It seems that it was his intention to take passage for New York.

Information received by the ambassador, he had been in hiding in Spain, where he lived with a woman and with his daughter. A few days before arriving in London he had quarrelled with another Russian, who was mortally wounded by a revolver shot during the scuffle, and who only lived long enough to denounce his assailant.

In an interview with the Russian ambassador, it seems that the name he had been using in Spain, and which he gave on being arrested was not his real one, Manassina being simply an alias, but after comparing the prisoner with photographs in his possession the Russian ambassador recognized him as Alex. Demidoff, the criminal banker who eloped with five millions of rubles. He is a native of St. Petersburg, a widower, 45 years old, with an only daughter, whom he left in Spain on escaping from that country.

On being arrested, two of Manassina's or Alex. Demidoff's portmanteaus were seized but although strictly searched nothing but personal effects were found in them, in spite of which the Russian ambassador declares that the prisoner ought to have several million rubles somewhere.

The Russian and Spanish ambassadors conferred yesterday evening as to whether the prisoner should be conveyed to Spain or to Russia, and after an interview with the home secretary and in accordance with the extradition treaty of England, Russia and Spain, it was agreed that the prisoner should be conveyed to Spain, to stand his trial for manslaughter, and that only after his trial can the Russian government ask Spain, through diplomatic channels, for his extradition.

It is needless to state that Mr. Wilby has not accepted the tempting offer, but his dignity is ruffled to think that even a low down Spaniard would take him for an easy mark.

APRIL FOOL PARTY

The members of Miss Mary J. Martin's Sunday school class of the First Trinitarian church held an April Fool party, in the vestry of the church, last night. Practically a full membership of the class was in attendance and the affair was an exceptionally enjoyable one.

Don't forget the prize waltz, Associated, Sat. night.

# PRESIDENT TAFT

## Explains Power of the Eastern States

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Taft in an address before the Ohio Society of Washington last night pointed out that the dominating power of the eastern states in congress lies in the fact that they keep men in office when they place them there. His words caused a mild sensation. He contrasted the influence of the east in legislative affairs with that of the west and attributed the supremacy of the former to the continuous service of legislative representatives.

"Why is it," asked the president, "that the small states of the east exercise so much power in congress? It is not because an eastern man has any more capacity in the matter of legislation than a western man. It is because when the eastern states get a good representative they keep him as long as he lives, and then he has an influence that vastly exceeds the numerical representation of population."

Sen. Charles Dick grasped the president's hand and shook it enthusiastically. His term expires with this congress and he has a hard fight ahead for re-election. Mr. Taft said to the assemblage:

"Senator Dick has just told me that he heartily endorses everything I have said on this subject."

KLING TO REPORT

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—John Kling, the Chicago National catcher who has just been reinstated as wired manager of the Louisville team, will report here for duty on Sunday.

Kittredge's, Associate, Sat. night.

"HOLY HOUR"

POPULAR SERVICE AT ST. PETER'S THIS EVENING

At the "Holy Hour" service tonight at St. Peter's church a particularly fine musical program will be presented and judged by the increased congregations at each service tonight's gathering will tax the capacity of the great edifice.

The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock and will be under the direction of Rev. John P. O'Brien. The "Holy Hour" services of St. Peter's are held on the evening of every first Friday of the month and are noted for the excellence of the music given, the church and vested choir giving separate programs with solo features by noted singers from other places.

CITY IN DARKNESS

DOVER FIREMEN HARNESSED UP BY LANTERN LIGHT


DOVER, N. H., April 1.—About 9:45 last night this city was plunged in darkness, all the lights and the incandescent commercial circuit being cut off by a fire in the power station of the Twin State Gas and Electric company on Cocheco street.

The fire companies had to hitch up by lantern light, but made good time. The blaze was in the upper portion of the boiler room and was confined to the woodwork in and near the roof. A big hole was burned in the roof, but the blaze was extinguished before serious damage resulted. The origin of the fire is as yet unknown. Crossed wires are thought to have caused it. The turbine generators were undamaged and the lights were restored at 10:25.

The damage, which may not exceed \$1000, is covered by insurance.

WANT MORE PAY


CINCINNATI, April 1.—A committee representing the union has presented demands for an increase in wages to engineers in the employ of the Big Four railroad. General Manager Van Winkle has taken the demands under advisement.



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75c Eskay's Food . . . 59c  
\$1.00 Rexall Wine C. L. Oil . . . 89c  
\$1.50 Fellows' Syrup . . . 98c  
\$1.00 Horl. Malted Milk . . . 75c  
\$1.00 Parker's Hair Bal. . . 72c  
\$1.00 Rexall Kidney Cure . . . 89c  
\$1.00 Coke's Dan. Cure . . . 66c  
\$1.00 Hood's Sarsaparilla . . . 85c  
50c Poland Water . . . 45c  
50c Pain Killer . . . 36c  
Rexall "93" Hair Tonic . . . 50c

\$1.00 Herpicide . . . 59c  
\$1.00 Listerine . . . 58c  
\$1.00 Rexall Pet. Emul. . . 50c  
75c Mellin's Food . . . 55c  
50c Minard's Lin. . . 36c  
\$1.00 Pinkham's Comp. . . 56c  
35c Fletcher's Castoria . . . 25c  
\$1.00 Nerves . . . 69c  
\$1.00 Rexall Mucutone . . . 39c  
60c Bovinine . . . 45c  
\$1.00 Danderine . . . 66c  
50c Bromo Seltzer . . . 39c  
\$1.00 Hostetter's Bitters . . . 75c  
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Ext. Jam. Ginger, pt. . . 75c  
Pure Cod Liver Oil, qt. . . 59c  
Castor Oil, pt. . . 25c  
Wood Alcohol, qt. . . 30c  
Denatured Alcohol, gal. . . 75c  
Lime Water, gal. . . 40c  
Senna Leaves, 1-4 lb. . . 15c  
Licorice Drops, lb. . . 20c  
Lavender Flowers, lb. . . 35c  
Powd. Orris Root, lb. . . 50c  
Boric Acid, lb. . . 25c  
Epsom Salts, lb. . . 8c

Cream Tartar, lb. . . 29c  
Powd. Borax, lb. . . 11c  
Rochelle Salts, 1-2 lb. . . 20c  
Ext. Witch Hazel, pt. . . 15c  
Soda Phosphate, lb. . . 15c  
Oxalic Acid, lb. . . 20c  
Sal Ammoniac, 2 lbs. . . 25c  
Tr. Green Soap, pt. . . 75c  
Catnip, lb. . . 35c  
Morehound, lb. . . 35c  
Boneset, lb. . . 35c  
Henna Leaves, 1-4 lb. . . 15c  
Chalk (Precipitated) lb. . . 25c  
Camphorated Oil, 1-2 pt. . . 35c  
Pure Glycerine, pt. . . 34c

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**OLIVE OIL**  
FULL QUART . . . 75c

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25c Colgate's Rap. Shav. Po. . . 18c  
50c Pompadour Cream . . . 33c  
25c Cuticura Soap . . . 18c  
25c Rexall Pearl Tooth Pow. . . 17c  
\$1.50 Oriental Cream . . . 98c  
25c Ku-le-lave Soap . . . 15c  
25c Sozodont . . . 16c  
25c Lyon's Tooth Powder . . . 15c  
75c Bath Brush . . . 59c  
25c Colgate's Dental Cream . . . 20c  
50c Hair Brush . . . 39c

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\$1.25 Hot Water Bottle . . . 98c  
\$1.75 Elastic Truss . . . \$1.19  
75c Rubber Gloves . . . 50c  
\$1.50 Crutches, pair . . . 79c  
25c Sanitary Napkins . . . 19c  
Cotton, pound . . . 25c  
Ice Bags . . . 60c and 85c  
Breast Pumps . . . 25c  
Thermos Bottles . . . \$3.00 to \$5.75  
Sputum Cups, pkg. 6 . . . 25c

Elastic Hosiery—all sizes.

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1 CORONA . . . . . } 25c  
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**WOLTER PLEADS NOT GUILTY**

NEW YORK, April 1.—Albert W. Wolter today pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with having murdered fifteen-year-old Ruth Wheeler after two motions to throw out the indictment had been made by his counsel and denied by Judge Mulqueen. Wolter was remanded to the Tombs.

Assistant District Attorney Frank Moss says he will be ready to go on with the prosecution by April 11. The police today stated that they had traced another girl to Wolter's flat but are unable to find out what became of her. The detectives give her name as Elsie Schwartz. She is said to have called at Wolter's flat the day before Ruth Wheeler was killed.

**TO INQUIRE INTO STRIKE**

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Responsive to the request for help to settle the dispute between the various railroads serving New York city and their employees engaged in the ferryboat branch who have sent in their resignations, Sec. Nagle of the department of commerce and labor has assigned Solicitor Charles Earl to look into the situation. A report from Mr. Earl is expected by the secretary during the day. The revised statutes specifically provide that if any licensed officer shall, to the hindrance of commerce, wrongfully or unreasonably refuse to serve in his official capacity as warranted by his license or fails to deliver to the applicant for such service, if demanded, sufficient reasons, the license shall be revoked.

**MORE INDICTMENTS EXPECTED**

PITTSBURG, April 1.—With the confessions of William Brand and Charles Stewart and the evidence of P. B. Kearns before them, all of whom are former councilmen, and with Hugh Ferguson, also a former city father, seeking the district attorney to make a statement, it is expected that the grand jury, investigating municipal corruption which resumed its sessions today, will return a final presentment within 24 hours, revealing the remainder of the graft story.

Accompanying the presentment it is expected will come additional indictments of the men who are alleged to have paid money to councilmen for the naming of five city depositories.

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**EXPEDITION ABANDONED**

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—Following the announcement last night that Nienaguan insurgent representatives here have abandoned the proposed expedition to strengthen the Estrada army, it is reported that about 100 men have been recruited and are keenly disappointed at not being able to get closer to the firing line. General Gordon, the American, probably will return to the front by the next boat to Bluefields.











## ARRESTED BY BOSTON POLICE

## EXTRA

## WANTED IN BAVARIA

## Man Arrested in Boston After Three Years' Search

BOSTON, April 1.—The long, tireless arm of the German government reached out 5000 miles today after a search of nearly three years and clutched Heinrich Zentner, president of the Import & Export Metal Dealers' association, who is wanted in Bavaria for the forgery of drafts amounting to more than 50,000 marks. Zentner came here a year ago and established himself in the metal business on Summer street. He has been away frequently of late and it was not until

today that the federal officers took him into custody as a fugitive from justice at the request of German Consul Reinicke. The principal charges against the prisoner are that while in Bavaria in 1907 he raised three drafts, two of them from 2500 to 12,100 marks each and a third from 20,000 to 30,000 marks. Zentner was brought before U. S. Commissioner Hayes and held in \$5000 to await the arrival of extradition papers.

## MASKED BURGLAR

## Killed One Woman and Probably Fatally Injured Another

SPRINGFIELD, April 1.—Miss Martha B. Blackstone, 35, was shot and instantly killed, and Miss Harriet Dow was removed to the Springfield hospital in a dying condition last night, following an encounter with a masked burglar in the home of Mrs. Sarah J. Dow in Round Hill shortly before 8 o'clock.

The scene of the shooting is in one of Springfield's fashionable sections. The man who did the shooting had evidently come into the house before supper. Mrs. Dow, her daughters, Harriet and Lucy, had retired with Miss Blackstone to the sitting room, and were putting together jigsaw puzzles when the man sprang from behind a screen and, leveling a pistol at the four women, demanded money.

Mrs. Dow managed to gasp, "We have no money," and Miss Blackstone, terribly frightened, arose and ran screaming toward the reception room. The burglar turned on her savagely, exclaiming, "If you want to die, keep on yelling," and fired at her, the bullet entering her left breast, penetrating her heart, and killing her instantly. With this he whirled around and before the horrified woman knew what was coming, fired at Miss Dow. The bullet struck her on the left side of the head and she fell to the floor. The man then turned and disappeared through the front door. None of the women could give an accurate description of the burglar.

Miss Blackstone was the daughter of Charles J. Blackstone, a retired hardware dealer, living at 25 Elliott street. She graduated from Smith college in 1893 and has since been teaching in the local schools. Miss Dow is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Dow and is 23 years old. Both are teachers in the Jefferson avenue school. The man who did the shooting is about 5 feet 10 inches in height. He wore a black slouch hat and black clothes and appeared to be about 22 years old. Dark cloth covered the lower part of his face.

The description answers in a general way to the man who committed numerous crimes last year and for whom the police are still looking.

The death of Miss Blackstone was instantaneous and from an examination of the body, made later last night, it was evident that the burglar before he fired must have advanced into the room to intercept the fleeing girl and shot at close range as the powder blackened her dress.

The murderer did not pause an instant after the first shot but turned suddenly upon the terror-stricken women cowering in the center of the room. He made no attempt to escape for a moment as they had expected he would after the first shot, but fired a second which struck Miss Harriet Dow in the head. She dropped bleeding to the floor and was taken to the Springfield hospital.

The murderer, after the second shot ran to the front door, leaped over the piazza railing and ran swiftly away in the darkness. No clues have been obtained by the police as to the identity of the murderer, although it is generally believed that he is the same masked man who terrorized the city last fall, when depredations in the Round Hill section, one of the wealthiest parts of the city, were frequent.

The deadly aim of the two shots that the murderer fired led the police to believe that he must have been thoroughly familiar with firearms. His footprints, traced in the soft earth outside the veranda which he leaped, were far apart, and he evidently ran like a trained athlete on the balls of his feet only, as no traces of heels could be discovered.

## NO TRACE AS YET

OF THE MURDERER  
SPRINGFIELD, April 1.—The wounds of Miss Harriet P. Dow,

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Traders Nat. Bank  
Hours: 9:30 to 3 p. m. Saturday, 9:30 to 12:30 and 2 to 5 p. m.

## NEW AUTOMOBILE

## Purchased for Supt. Thomas of the Water Dept.

Supt. Thomas of the water department has a new automobile, a model 19 Buick, 30 horse power. The requisition for the machine was made March 17 and the order for the purchase was signed by the purchasing agent a few days ago. The machine is of the roadster type with removable top. The price of the machine is \$1750.

The following contracts have been awarded by the purchasing agent:  
For 500 barrels cement, for the sewer department, Edward Cawley; 10,000 lineal feet edgewise, H. V. Hildreth; sewer pipe, 500 feet 6 inch, 300 feet 8 inch, 500 ft. 10 inch, 200 feet 12 inch, 300 feet 15 inch, and 300 feet 18 inch. Edward Cawley.

The contract for sewer castings, manhole frames, covers and steps, catch basin frames and covers was awarded the Union Iron Foundry; car of hay for health department, Wilder

& Wotton; car of hay for street department, Joseph Mullin.

**Office and Workshop**  
The Lowell Gas Light company has been granted a permit to build an office in School street, corner of Flynn street. The building will be 35 by 55 feet, two stories, flat roof. The estimated cost is \$1400.

David Ziskind is building a storehouse in Hale street. The building will be 80 by 40 feet, one story.

Daniel Smith will build a two family house in Gray street. The house will be 24 by 51 feet and the estimated cost is \$3000.

Alphonse Dibeault is remodeling a building in Ford street, adding a story and making accommodations for three families instead of two as heretofore.

John P. Quinn is building a three-story, three-family house in Carter street. The building will be 23 by 40 feet and the estimated cost is \$5000.

## CLARENCE F. GLOVER

## Victim of a "Frame-up," Says Richard Blackmore

CAMBRIDGE, April 1.—"I am in a terrible fix. It means for me either state prison, being shot or signing away my life or rights," was the statement attributed to Clarence F. Glover, the murdered Waltham laundryman, by Richard Blackmore of South Boston in his testimony given in the probate court today in the hearing on the attempt of several of Glover's brothers to break the laundryman's will. This statement, said the witness, was made to him by Glover one night last April in a Boston hotel, shortly after Mrs. Glover had accused her husband of impropriety with Hattie Leblanc, the French Canadian servant in the Glover family, who is now being held for trial on the charge of murdering Glover.

Blackmore testified that he was an

"investigator" but not a detective and that Glover had asked his assistance. Glover told the witness that the charges against him were false, but that he could not discharge Hattie, inasmuch as she spoke French and he did not. The witness said that at first he did not believe Glover but later he was of the opinion that the man was telling the truth and that he was the victim of a "frame-up." He met Glover a second time in the fall and was engaged by the laundryman in November to investigate Mrs. Glover's conduct, Glover hoping, the witness said, to be able to discover something incriminating about his wife to offset the charge she had made against him. Glover was murdered, however, before Blackmore did any work for him.

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## BROKE INTO STORE

## Burglar Caught In the Act by Officer Dooley

## Man Broke Into Wire Shop and Stole Brass—Man on Verge of Delirium Thought He Was Being Murdered

Napoleon Jolly after smashing in the glass panel of the door of the store of Arthur Leblanc at the corner of Pawtucket and Moody streets about midnight last night, crawled through the opening and was in the act of looting the store when Mr. Leblanc, who occupies the tenement over the store, was attracted by the noise and hastily dressing himself went downstairs.

As he reached the store door he saw the form of a man on the inside and was about to enter the place when Patrolman Jeremiah Dooley put in an appearance and the latter entered the store and found Jolly helping himself to cigars and candy.

In court this morning Jolly was charged with breaking and entering and the larceny of seven cigars, each of the value of five cents. He entered a plea of guilty and stated that he was drunk at the time.

The court declined jurisdiction and finding probable cause for guilt held the man under \$500 bonds for his appearance before the grand jury.

**Broke Into Wire Shop**  
Thomas Rondau was charged with breaking and entering the works of Rice & Co., manufacturers of wire goods in Mt. Vernon street, this morning and the larceny therefrom of 33

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## DIED SUDDENLY MANY HEARINGS

## Cornelius Crowe Passed Away in Chair

Cornelius Crowe, a well known resident of Centralville, was found dead in a chair at his home, 78 Coburn street, about 10 o'clock this morning by Geo. Hastnett, a barber.

Mr. Crowe had been in ill health for some time, suffering from heart trouble. When his wife left him in the house this morning to go to her work he did not appear to be any worse than he had been for several days. George Hastnett who has been in the habit of calling on Crowe to shave him called about 10 o'clock this morning and upon entering the house found Crowe apparently asleep.

Hastnett attempted to arouse Crowe and finding it impossible to do so immediately realized that the man was dead. He notified the neighbors and a doctor was called in, the latter upon examination finding that the man had been dead for some time.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

CLARK—Died March 31st in South Framingham, Mass. John A. Clark aged 58 years. Private funeral services will be held in the Lowell cemetery chapel Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

QUINLEY—The funeral of John P. Quinley will take place Saturday morning at 9:15 o'clock from the house and at 9:45 o'clock from St. Peter's church. John J. O'Connell & Co., undertakers.

## Scheduled by the Sewer Committee

The committee on sewers will meet Friday, April 8, at 7:30 p. m., and will give a hearing on the following petitions: Etta C. Abbott, et al., for the abatement of sewer assessments in Front street, Marshall road and Mariner street.

P. J. Byrne and others for a sewer in Plummer avenue from East Merrimack street to Andover street.

O'Sullivan Bros. and others that the sewer in Worthen street be lowered from Merrimack street to Market street.

Richard Sykes and others for sewer in Buckingham street, from Lawrence street to Roper street.

Jackson Palmer and others for a sewer in Cumberland road from Flisler street to Farmland road.

Arnold B. Winters for sewer in Bond street from Stevens street westerly about 170 feet.

William D. Brown and others for a sewer in Front street from the present sewer in that street westerly to Courtney lane.

## PROF. WILSON HONORED

PROVIDENCE, April 1.—Prof. Geo. G. Wilson of Brown university has been honored by being elected an associate of the Institute de Droit International, according to advices received here today. Prof. Wilson, who is recognized as one of the leading authorities on international law in this country, was one of three chosen from the western hemisphere.

## CARS DYNAMITED

## More Excitement in Connection With Philadelphia Strike

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—Apparently having failed to settle the car strike in this city, John D. Mitchell, accompanied by Dennis Hayes, fourth vice president of the American Federation of Labor, went to New York today. It is rumored that a meeting of labor leaders may be held in that city today and another effort made to bring about a settlement.

It is understood the leaders of the car strike insist that the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. restore the strikers to their old runs, and while the company is still willing to re-employ all the strikers it is known it will not displace men employed since the beginning of the strike in favor of any of the old employees.

Five cars were dynamited in the northern portion of the city last night and early today. Windows were shattered but no one was injured. The company has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of any one placing explosives on the tracks.

Notwithstanding that the police department has refused a permit for a parade of women sympathizers of the strikers on Saturday, preparations for the march are being made. The police are making preparations to stop the parade.

## SEN. DILLINGHAM

## Reports on Immigration to Canada

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 1.—Canada wants immigrants whose purpose is to enter agricultural pursuits, either as owners, tenants or laborers and desires to keep out those immigrants whose presence would tend to the congestion of towns and cities. This is probably the most important statement made in a report submitted to congress today by Senator Dillingham, chairman of the joint immigration commission, in regard to the immigration situation in Canada.

Another striking feature of the report is the comparison of immigration into Canada during the past decade with that into the United States. This shows that while 70 per cent of Canada's immigrants during that period came from northern and western Europe and only 30 per cent from southern and eastern Europe, the reverse

was true in regard to the immigrants entering the United States. The report says that "no effort is made to secure immigrants from southern and western Europe and only a small number of such immigrants to enter agricultural pursuits their admission to Canada is doubtful."

On the other hand it is pointed out that effort is made, through salaried agents of the Canadian immigration department, aided by sub-agents to whom a bonus or commission is paid, and by means of advertising to secure immigrants from the United Kingdom, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Denmark, Ireland, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland and the United States.

Of the total number of immigrants going from the United States to Canada during the past three years, more than seven-eighths were classed as farmers or farm laborers. Probably no other considerable movement of population from one country to another, says the report, at the present time, is so largely composed of agricultural people.

tries being by immigrants, divided as follows:

English 20.32 per cent; Scotch 5.29 per cent; Irish 1.39 per cent; Continental Europeans 27.67 per cent; and Americans 44.91 per cent.

Canada gives great liberty to her administrative authorities in the matter of rejections or admissions and allows her officials substantial freedom in the matter of deportation. All persons who become public charges within two years after landing may be deported. No one is debarred from Canada because of previous arrangements made for securing employment. The Dominion maintains free information or employment bureaus in the principal centers, both for the benefit of employers of labor and of immigrants seeking employment.

In dealing with Oriental immigration, Canada has adopted a policy which practically excludes Asiatic labor.

## AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN GRAND TRUNK AND SO. N. E. ROADS

PROVIDENCE, April 1.—Although the date of the report of the Grand Trunk charter left from the committee on corporations is still uncertain, it may be authoritatively stated that an agreement has been reached so far as the New Haven and Southern New England roads are concerned, for upon only two points out of the original ten is there now any difference. The two points now at issue, it is stated, are the Grand Trunk's demands to cross the New Haven tracks at a grade and to be allowed to use the New Haven's tracks in entering the city.

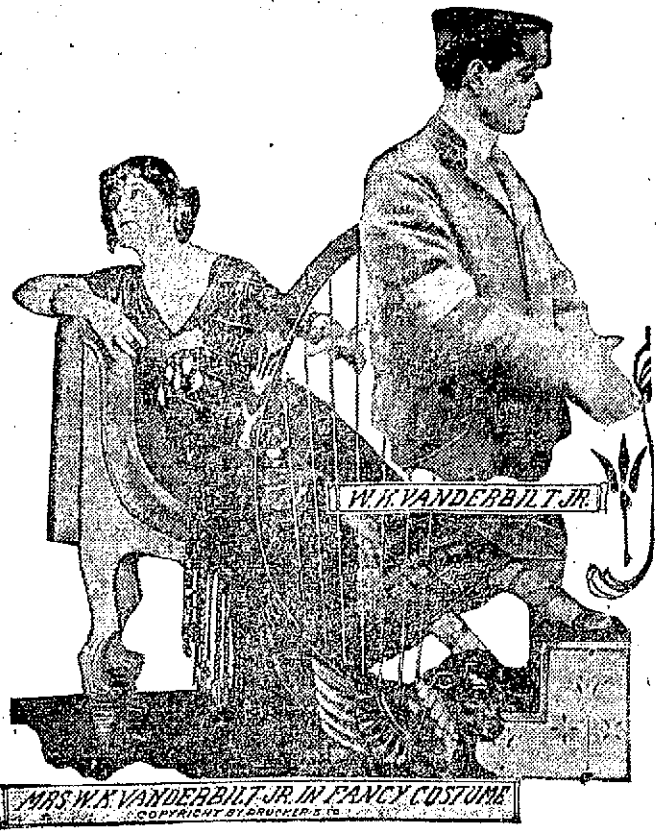
The New Haven road has receded from its demands that disputes over truckage be referred to the interstate commerce commission and has acceded to the Grand Trunk's proposition to refer such disputes to the Rhode Island supreme court. The other eight points over which controversy threatened have been cleared up by mutual consent.

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## MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, JR., IN FANCY COSTUME



RENO, Nev., April 1.—The Werrum home here has been prepared for the arrival of "some wealthy eastern woman," who will join the divorce colony here. That the "wealthy eastern woman" is Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., is accepted here notwithstanding the denials of Mrs. Vanderbilt, who is now in California. From New York comes the report that the

## SALEM'S MAYOR

Wants Investigation of  
Water Board

SALEM, April 1.—At the meeting of the aldermen last night the deadlock over the choice of an assistant engi-

neer of the fire department was broken and Edward W. Hay was elected. Geo. S. Munroe was nominated for registrar of voters for three years. An order was adopted appropriating \$4500 for an automobile chemical engine. Mayor Howard submitted a recommendation, which was adopted, that the affairs of the water department be investigated for the purpose of saving money in management, also economy in water supply. The mayor also recommended that the office of superintendent of lamps and lighting be abolished.

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## OUTFITTERS TO MEN & BOYS

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### DIAMOND NOTES

The time for offering bids for the privileges at Spalding park closes this evening at 8.30 and the contract will be let out without delay. Much progress is being made on the grounds and they will surely be in shape for the opening game, one week from Saturday.

The Lawrence Eagle: Manager Jimmy Bannon of the Lawrence team has swung the axe in good style and Wednesday morning he announced that he had released 13

players of those who were due to report in this city on Monday. The players are all new ones, signed since last season. The manager felt that the squad had to be cut down somewhere, as it would be impossible to bring on the large number he had signed. He intends to have only 25 players report. Of the players released all are released outright, with the exception of McGinn, whom Lawrence has only farmed out to the Grand Rapids club of the Central league. Manager Bannon expects Pitcher Arthur Goodwin today and if he ar-

rives they will work out at Glen Forest. The grounds are being put into shape and Groundkeeper Jimmy Murphy will have everything in first class condition. The seats are being installed. Manager Bannon will suggest some changes at the grounds. The men released are as follows: Alex McGinn, first baseman, who has played with Toronto in the Eastern league and the Chicago City league, let out to the Grand Rapids club of the Central league. Lawrence still holding a string on the player; Arthur D. Cassell, Melrose, an outfielder; Ralph Cox, Homer, N. Y., first baseman, who played last year with New Haven in the Connecticut league; Earl Barker, Beverly, a catcher; O. R. Boothby, Brockton, pitcher; John H. Cronin, Malden, pitcher; Morgan Evans, Philadelphia, third baseman; A. H. Stackpole, Lebanon, Mo., pitcher; George Stewart, Philadelphia, pitcher; R. H. Chapman, Auburn, Me., first base man; Henry O'Brien, Dorchester, pitcher; A. J. Peard, Derry, N. H., outfielder.

Jack Conroy of Portland, Me., has signed to play first base with Haverhill. He is a brother of big Pat Conroy, formerly of Lawrence, and to Mrs. Tommy Catterton, formerly of Brockton.—Brockton Times.

Ralph Cutting and Sam Frock worked for the Pittsburg series against the regulars at Hot Springs recently and the regulars won, 17 to 4. Another pitcher was also tried out.

Manager O'Brien of Fall River is looking for a catcher in allowing Solbena, the first baseman, to connect with the Rockland, Ill. team, of the Three-I league. That club has a catcher named Curke whom O'Brien wants. Bob Vance of the Denz academy nine has accepted Fall River's terms.

Referee Rorty of the league staff and Bob Hart of Pawtucket will get their eyes on the ball for the coming season's work as umpires by officiating as arbitrators in the exhibition games of the Hartford and Connecticut league, working together. Rorty is on the New England staff of umpires and Hart will be on the roster of the Connecticut league.

Frank Courtney, the old Haverhill player, is making a good with the St. Louis Cardinals. A show man stopped in Worcester the other day and there he said that he had just come from the training ground of the Cardinals. He says that the St. Louis management is satisfied with the way Courtney is showing up and he may make good with that team. Courtney is the old Lawrence player. He was with Haverhill the past two years, where he did splendid work.

Fall River looks like a good team for this season. Manager O'Brien has secured a number of youngsters who have made records in semi-independent teams. O'Brien has a knack of getting clever youngsters and he may add a few more to his long list.—Lawrence Eagle.

fielding game. Wednesday they played at Houston and lost 3 to 2. Houston had to loan Indianapolis a catcher, and the latter club played pitchers at third and right field. Dan Howley and Howard Wakefield are with the No. 2 team. Spencer, the outfielder, who used to play with Lynn, is with the other team and showing up nicely. Chudbourne is with the Indianapolis squad also.

### ELEANORA SEARS

Trying to Complete  
Walk of 108 Miles

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—In an attempt to cover the 108 miles between Burlington and Delmonte in 55 hours, Miss Eleanora Sears of Boston, who began the journey yesterday morning at six o'clock reached Morgan Hill at 10.55 last night after a tramp of 56 miles. Though footsore and weary Miss Sears refused to give up her quest and after partaking of light refreshment resumed the road. This Marathon endeavor had its inspiration in a recent contest between

two San Francisco men over the same route. Miss Sears contends that women can be as efficient as men.

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Brandroth's Pills	15c
Schenck's Pills	15c
De Witt's Kidney Pills	39c
Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets	34c, 67c
Verminex	34c, 69c
Sal Hepatica	17c, 35c, 70c
Bromo Seltzer	7c, 15c, 37c, 69c
Atwood's Bitters	17c
Malted Milk, Horlick's	33c, 65c
Fellows' Syrup	96c
Swamproot	34c, 67c
Peruna	63c
Castoria	23c
Nature's Remedy	18c, 37c, 69c
Hergie's	29c, 59c
Parisian Sage	32c
Father John's	33c, 51c
Pears' Soap, Scented	15c
Pears' Soap, Unscented	10c
Comfort Powder	18c, 35c
Corylopsis	9c
Satin Skin Powder	18c
Oriental Cream	96c
Frostilla	19c
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# TO IMPROVE STREETS

## Hearings Given on a Number of Petitions Last Night

The committee on streets met at the city hall last night and gave a public hearing on petitions for street improvements. Streets mentioned in the petitions were visited by the committee during the afternoon. A very few remonstrants appeared at the hearing last night and despite the number of petitions the hearing was not a very long one.

James Dow and others petitioned that the lines of Wilder and South Wilder streets be defined. J. A. Henderson and others asked that South Wilder street be laid out from Parker street to Midland street. It was said that school children have been obliged, in bad weather, to walk through slush and water on their way to school. Col. Carmichael wanted to know why the petitioners did not come to city hall and object to the building of a school below the level of the street. He said he had voted against the proposition when he was in the city government, because he knew the location was unfit for a school. Several of the petitioners said they did not know that their children were to be transferred from the Highland school. Joseph Fay said he would ask for a fair amount for his land in that locality. Joseph Chouinard and others wanted Avon street accepted from Fourth avenue to Seventh avenue. The petition was well supported. George W. Poore appeared as a remonstrant.

The committee held a business meeting following the hearing and its action on petitions was as follows: Patrick Joyce's petition asking the city to re-arrange the grade of England street, was referred to the city solicitor on the question of the city's liability. E. G. Baker was given leave to withdraw on his petition to accept Elm street. The petition relating to Thayer street was referred to the superintendent of streets. James P. Ramsay's petition to widen the sidewalk in Chelmsford street near Thornlike street and the stairway leading to the depot was referred to the superintendent of streets. Agent Taft of the Boston & Maine railroad said the road intended to rebuild the fence on the line. Michael Feldman's petition was granted. Hon. John J. Pickman's petition for curbing in Anne street was referred to the engineer for an estimate. The committee voted to accept Avon street.

A sidewalk in Gates street was voted. Favorable action was taken on two petitions headed by John W. Walcott for the acceptance of a portion of Marsh street and a sidewalk in front of his premises in School street. The acceptance of Stackpole street was discussed, and a committee comprising Alderman Gray and Councilman Donohoe and Engineer Bowers was appointed to consider the matter of an obstruction in the form of a house owned by George Hustan. The question of defining the lines of Wilder and South Wilder streets was brought up. Councilman Dow said land owners were demanding far more than the assessed value of their property. Col. Carmichael said he would not favor \$8000 or \$10,000 for this land. On motion of Councilman Dow a committee of three was appointed to look into land damages and other details connected with the work. Councilmen Genest, Dow and Donohoe were named. The chair and the city civil engineer

were appointed to interview the Shaw stock people relative to New Fletcher street. On petition of Josephine Baker, the sidewalk at 21-23 Grace street was accepted. Leave to withdraw was granted on the petition to accept Stratham street, the street not being at grade. Leave to withdraw in the Apple street petition was granted. Woodward avenue and Starbuck street residents asked for macadam, and the petition was referred to the superintendent with the suggestion that gravel be laid. The petition of P. O'Hearn for macadamizing Riverside street was referred to the superintendent with the recommendation that he place it in good condition. Similar action was taken in the petition to place edge stones and concrete in Gates street. Alderman Gray suggested a loan for macadamizing. Col. Carmichael said there was a precedent, but he didn't consider it a permanent improvement. The committee agreed that it would be necessary to borrow money for

macadamizing and it was decided to ask the city engineer for estimates of the cost of macadamizing a number of streets. Estimates were asked for macadamizing Stevens and South streets, Butler avenue, and Common street. The engineer was also asked to prepare an estimate of the cost of laying old blocks in Elm street. It was voted to refer a petition to macadamize Florence avenue to the next year's government. A petition for permission to erect a temporary bridge across Bridge street to the Massachusetts storehouse was referred to the city solicitor and the city civil engineer. The question of street watering assessments was taken up. City Engineer Bowers said the last man receiving the service on the street did not receive much benefit from the service, for the reason that the dust blows from the street where it is not wet down. The engineer suggested that the carts pass beyond the line for a short distance. The matter was left to the superintendent.

# THE BIGGEST MARCH--THE BIGGEST MONTH

THE RECORD BEATEN AT

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CARD—Another record was beaten—March with our great sale of last Spring Suits and our enormous Easter Week, has given us the biggest month in our existence. We thank you and know why our trade is so good; with our Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes at the top and the pick of the other good lines, our stock is not approached in Lowell. You're sure to be delighted with the new fabrics we shall show you in our Special Suits and Spring Overcoats now arrived from

## HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX

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## OUR SPECIAL UNDER-PRICED SUITS

Thoroughly good fabrics, excellent tailoring, correct styles—they offer the greatest possible value to the man who wants a suit at a moderate price.

### Fine Blue Serge

Here are three lines of Suits that are unmatchable at our prices. The goods are all wool and fast color, the seams are turned and taped, which prevent pulling in the seams. The making is thorough and the styles correct. They would easily sell for more money but we price them at special values at

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\$12.75

### FANCY STRIPED SERGE

The popular dark suit this season will be the new fancy striped serges. All the stores show them, but the price is usually from \$15 to \$20. We bought a big lot of them way under price and place them on sale this week in men's and young men's sizes, all made on the latest models and worth at retail today \$15. Our price.....

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### Fancy Worsted Suits

Strictly all wool, in the new spring colorings, self stripes and fancy stripes, made on men's and young men's models. Suits you will pay \$12, \$15 and \$18 for in other stores, but we are making a special showing of extra good suits at a low price and offer these at

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### THE GOLD BOND SUIT

No other suit in the world can compare with the "Gold Bond" Suit for the price. Think of an all wool worsted suit without a single thread of cotton, guaranteed fast color, made in a manner to render the very best service—a suit which carries our confidence to the point of issuing with each suit A Gold Bond agreeing to give a new suit or twelve dollars and fifty cents in gold to any purchaser of our gold bond suit whose purchase does not prove as warranted upon return of suit with gold bond (properly dated) before August 1st, 1910. The Gold Bond Suit is \$20.00 On sale at .....

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### The Glengarriff Serge

When we say to you that the "Glengarriff" Serge Suit is equal to any twenty dollar serge sold in New England, we say it not for effect, but because it is absolutely true. We have the exclusive sales of this superb serge for Lowell. The Glengarriff will prove one of the best Serge Suits that you ever wore and is positively worth \$20 of anybody's money, for .....

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Style 4441 heads the list of good Derbies—it's the Hat that looks and wears like a \$3 Hat and costs but

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Young Men's Soft Hats in twenty different colors and as many shapes at

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## YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

In the new gray cheviot mixtures. The swiftest fabrics shown this season. New colorings and new patterns. Made on the latest young men's models, they are stunning suits for nobly dressers. Snappy styles, not extreme or freakish, but the latest out. We show a fine variety of these new suits at

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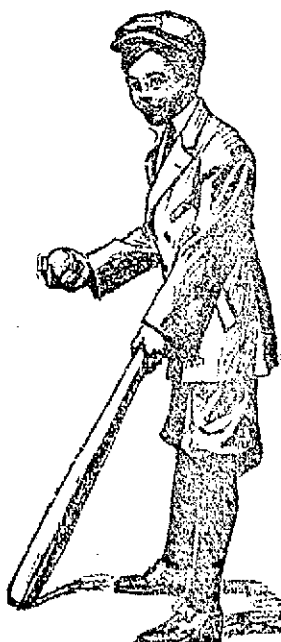
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A Big Variety of "Good Clothes" to Choose From

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Spring Reefers from..... \$1.98 up to \$6

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# BIG YEAR CLOSED

## Annual Meeting of Vesper Country Club

Reports Showed That Past Year Was Most Successful in History of Organization—Col. A. M. Chadwick Re-elected President

The Vesper Country club held its 35th annual meeting at the club house at Tyngs island last evening with an attendance of 150 members. Prior to the business meeting, the annual dinner was held, Superintendent Clough offering an innovation in the shape of a sea food menu, with clams and broiled live lobsters as features. Between the courses there was "congregational" singing without limit led by Buckley's orchestra.

Before the business meeting started Secretary Andrew G. Swapp by unanimous demand sang his annual song "Alouette" with all the harmony that the title suggests.

Shortly after 8 o'clock President Alfred M. Chadwick called to order and spoke briefly stating that the reports would show to what extent the club had advanced. The annual reports were then in order.

Treasurer Arthur J. Murkland gave his annual report. The assets total \$42,646.21 and the liabilities showed \$12,970.18 less than the assets. The net liabilities are \$29,676.03. The detailed report of the income showed annual dues of all sorts to be \$17,080. Every department of the club showed a profit for the year with earnings of \$24,611.65. The expenditures totaled \$21,425.99, giving a balance to profit and loss of \$2,185.66.

Of the expenditures \$5534.50 was for permanent improvements. Of the receipts \$2000 was from the Locks and Canals for water damage. Deducting this from the net result showed a profit of \$185.66.

Suspension bridge bonds to the amount of \$800 were redeemed and clubhouse bonds amounting of \$2000 were redeemed.

The auditing committee not only approved the treasurer's report but recommended that he be paid a sum more commensurate with his work and ability. The recommendation was unanimously adopted and placed in the hands of the executive committee. The treasurer's report was accepted.

Secretary Andrew G. Swapp gave his annual report which was accepted.

The committee on by-laws reported the changes which were subsequently adopted. Under the changes the active membership is limited to 400 and the

non-resident members to the same figure, and the dues to be paid by the latter shall be one-half the sum paid by resident members.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following for executive committee: Alfred M. Chadwick, James Gilbert Hill, Andrew G. Swapp, Harry E. Shaw, John K. Whittier, Joseph Peabody, William T. Patten, Arthur T. Safford, Arthur J. Murkland.

The members of the old executive committee who retire are Thomas Nesmith and Edward Ellingwood, and on motion the thanks of the club were given them for years of efficient service.

John A. Faulkner and Julian B. Kover were re-elected auditors with the thanks of the club for their work.

On motion of R. V. Thomson, a rousing vote of appreciation was given to Supt. and Mrs. Frank L. Clough. Votes of thanks were then passed to the officers and executive committee.

The members discussed the limitations which should be set in case of future events, like the auto races that would make the island a delightful place to locate.

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## BRILLIANT MUSIC

At Song Recital of E. N. C. Barnes

A song recital of a high order was given in Colonial hall last evening by Edwin N. C. Barnes, basso, who has recently opened a studio in this city, assisted by Mr. Jacques Hoffman, violinist of the Boston Symphony orchestra and Mme. Haggen-Furbush, pianist. The audience was not as large as the program deserved, but those who were fortunate enough to be present were amply repaid for their attendance. Mr. Barnes possesses a most agreeable presence and certainly an excellent voice. His solos were carefully selected and in all he captivated his audience.

His opening brace consisted wholly of old English numbers from "Pretty Polly Oliver"—composer unknown—through "Once I Loved a Maiden Fair," an old ballad of the time of King James I and "The Slighted Swain" and "The Pretty Creature" in arrangements by H. Lane Wilson. He also gave three English sea songs of rollicking tempo and great depth of tone, in which he was particularly good.

His final numbers were American songs including the favorite selection-Furbush was a most sympathetic accompanist throughout.

Mr. Hoffman aroused the enthusiasm of the audience to a high pitch by the masterful manner in which he performed on the violin. He opened with the sonata in C Minor, first movement by Greig and also gave the

Chopin Nocturne, Mozart's Minuet and the Sarasate-Habana. Adagio Elégique and Souvenir de Moscow.

AN ORGAN RECITAL

An organ recital was held at the Centralville M. E. church last night which was attended by a large number of lovers of music. Wilfred Kershaw was the organist and the program carried out was varied as well as entertaining. Mrs. Harriet Conant Spaulding, soprano; Warren T. Reid, baritone, and Mrs. Lillian Dodge Haskell, reader, contributed to the program, and were obliged to respond to encores.

JOHN H. CLARK

RESIGNS POSITION OF JANITOR AT THE Y. M. C. I.

John H. Clark, for 14 years janitor at the rooms of the Y. M. C. I., resigned his position last night. A special meeting for board of trustees of the organization will be held in the near future to appoint his successor. John J. Quinn has been taking Mr. Clark's place during the past 10 days.

Coughs—No matter how bad—can be relieved at once with Lung Kure.

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### Shepherd Check Suitings

Fashion has placed the shepherd checks among the most desirable fabrics of the season and the quality we offer is of the highest class. Extra width and of a weave and weight that will give the most service in tailored suit, different sizes of checks for choice. Three grades on sale today.....49c, 75c, \$1

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Made to sell at 75c a yard. These are among the foremost weaves of the season. We make this offering known that every yard is exactly as represented and will give satisfaction. Up-to-date colorings, including all the new spring shades and black. Value 79c a yard. Our price.....49c

### Imported All Wool Taffeta

Beautiful spring creation from one of the best textile mills in France. Pure high grade Australian yarns, rich finish in the newest shades for spring. It is 44 inches wide and the importer never expected to hear of a yard of it being sold for less than \$1.50 a yard. Our price.....\$1.00

### Florestan Suitings

Beautiful spring fabrics, woven from pure wool yarns, in shadow stripes and plain weaves. Many colors including egg plant, delft, walnut, cedar, vine, gray, champagne, reseda and navy blue. There is not an undesirable color in the lot. Made to sell for \$1.00 a yard. Our price.....75c

### Imported Black Mohair

Mohair brilliantine. The lustrous fleece of the Yorkshire sheep is all right for alpaca, but this mohair brilliantine we speak of is woven of the hair of the Angora goats of Asia Minor. Every woman knows its wearing qualities, its lightness and coolness and how hard it is for dust or soot to lodge on it. 44 inches wide. Made in Bradford-on-Avon to sell for \$1.25 a yard. Our price.....\$1.00

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If you want a becoming hat that your friends will admire, just come in Saturday and let our millinery salesgirls show you what they can offer you in trimmed hats

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### NEW HAMBURGS

In the Basement Saturday 3c yard

Edgings, insertions and bandings. Regular value up to 10c per yard.

### HOOKS AND EYES

In the Basement Saturday 2c card

Various sizes. Everyone guaranteed perfect, black or white. 2 dozen on a card.

### CHILDREN'S SCHOOL BAGS

In the Basement Saturday 15c each

Made from good quality corduroy in a good shade of brown. Regular value 25c.

### WOMEN'S FABRIC GLOVES

In the Basement Saturday 15c pair

These are lisle or cashmere in black or white. Regular price 25c.

### A SPECIAL HUCK TOWEL

In the Basement Saturday 8c each

Good large size. Regular price 12 1-2c each.

### WOMEN'S PRETTY NECKWEAR

In the Basement Saturday 10c each

Hundreds of Jabots with dainty lace edgings and insertions. Regular 25c value.

### HAIR BRUSHES

In the Basement Saturday 12 1/2c ea

This is just half price and the price is made special for Saturday. They are worth \$2.00 per dozen wholesale.

### WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS

In the Basement Saturday 8c pair

This is an assorted lot in black or tan and includes qualities up to 19c. The assortment of sizes is broken, but if you find your size you get a bargain.

### YARD WIDE PERCALES

In the Basement Saturday 7c yard

This is a fresh lot of light or dark colors and same as you usually pay 12 1-2c per yard.

### CREPE CROISSETTE

In the Basement Saturday 5c yard

This is a handsome printed, or solid color wash fabric and the price is special for Saturday only.

### DRESS BUTTONS

In the Basement Saturday 5c dozen

About 50 gross in the lot, assorted styles, the bulk of which are retailed regularly at 25c per dozen.

### COLORED RIBBONS

In the Basement Saturday 3c yard

Good range of desirable colors, including qualities retailed as high as 12 1-2c. Splendid for hair ribbons.

### WOMEN'S JERSEY RIBBED SHIRTS

In the Basement Saturday 7c each

These are samples of summer underwear and the price is less than half the regular value.

### 30 INCH PRINTED BATISTE

In the Basement Saturday 4c yard

This is a special value in one pattern only and will be splendid for summer dresses.

### WOOL DRESS GOODS AND PERCAINE LININGS

In the Basement Saturday 1-2 price

Odds and ends. Short lengths of splendid qualities.

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### FLORENCE CLUB

HELD A DANCING PARTY IN PRESCOTT HALL

The second annual social and dancing party of the Florence club, an organization composed of well known young men, was held last night in Prescott hall. The friends of the members turned out in large numbers and a very enjoyable time was had during the evening.

Music for dancing was furnished by Kilmordale's orchestra. The affair was officered by the following: General manager, David P. Sorenson; assistant general manager, Thomas Brick; floor director, Frederick Cronin; assistant floor director, James McKoon; chief aid, Harry Gallagher; aids, Leo Campbell, Charles Kennedy, Walter Dinley, Frank Dunn, Harry Garner, Herbert Locke, Peter Lynch, John Locke, Chas. McCarthy, Paul Merrill, Charles O'Neil, Leo Sherlock, Thomas Senior, Michael Sullivan, John Wisted, William O'Malley, John Gallick, George St. Ledger, Roy Humphreys, Daniel Reedy, Edward O'Malley, William O'Connor, John Harmon, John Flanagan, Arthur Mitchell and Thomas Flanagan; secretary, John Collins; treasurer, Arthur Ecklund.

### LETTER CARRIERS' REUNION

The annual reunion of the Lowell Letter Carriers' Sick Benefit association which is to be held in Association hall on April 13th bids fair to be a grand success. It is nine years since the carriers have held a social and while the latter was a success in every particular the coming event is expected will eclipse it.

### PRESENTED HORNBY ETCHING

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Baldwin were most pleasantly surprised at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Fleming in Parkview avenue, Wednesday evening, when they were called upon by the members of the Oakland Hook club and presented one of Lester T. Hornby's etchings from the collection now at the Whittier house, the gift of the club, of which both are members.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



# PROVING MY CASE



You may not believe it, but in my Lowell store alone, I have more woollens than most commission houses carry, made by the best mills in this country. Dynns, Blackingtons, Strathmores, Wansküks, Tillotsons, Waterhouses, North Adams Mills, Shariffs, Johnsons, all favorites in the world's Blue Book, and the styles are all the latest novelties in grays, blue, pencil and shadow stripes—1500 styles to select from.

The goods I sell you are made for all the world's consumption, not especially for me.

A man came into my store yesterday afternoon, a brusque, non-communicative individual, a man who knew his business and who knew he knew it. He was the superintendent of a big woolen mill in a nearby town.

**"Let Me See That Blue Serge for \$12.50 That You Advertise"**

And as I showed him the goods, he pulled from his vest pocket a small magnifying glass and proceeded with his skilful examination. "Take my measure for a suit of it. It's better than I expected even from your advertisement. I didn't believe you could do it."

That man was the quickest buyer I think that I ever saw. He marvelled how I could do it for the money, but that didn't interfere with his knowledge of woollens and values. You may not know woollens as well as he does, but you don't have to. I give you my word that this is our great, unusual offer I am putting out for a purpose that one day means increased business and profits and I want you to be for the time being a walking advertisement. May I ask you to please take the trouble to examine the goods?

**SUIT TO ORDER**  
**\$12.50**

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## INFANT MORTALITY

**Dr. L'Esperance Lectured on the Work of Saving Children**

The illustrated lecture by Dr. O. N. T. L'Esperance of Boston, in the high school hall last night, was both interesting and instructive. His statements regarding infant mortality in Lowell were a bit startling. He said that infant mortality in Lowell is second to Fall River only, in 17 of the largest cities in the Eastern and Middle states.

The speaker was introduced by Supp. A. K. Whitcomb. There was a fairly large audience. The Hospital Guild was well represented. The doctor first indicated the character of the work done in the milk depots by reading an account of a conference of mothers, with the physicians in charge. He then quoted from official data, stating that the rate of infant mortality in Lowell is second to Fall River only, in 17 of the largest cities in the

Eastern and Middle states. The newborn baby, he said, has less chance of living for a week, than a man of 90, and less chance of living for a year than a man of 80. This is due largely to the fact that so many of the mothers are in the industries, in Lowell and Fall River. In France and Italy, there are special laws protecting the mothers who are in the industries. The pictures thrown on the screen illustrated the conferences and the work of the milk depots in France and Belgium, in England, and in New York city and Boston. The doctor explained that the work in no way interferes with the province of the family physician. Sick babies are not treated at the depot, but where treatment is found to be necessary, the case is referred to the family physician.

the babies who are not sick, for the purpose of keeping them well; though much good is accomplished through the conferences, by sending the mothers whose babies do need medical attention to the family physician for treatment.

Dr. L'Esperance said that the work in Lowell would reach all classes of people, and in cosmopolitan Lowell, problems will develop that will be a little different from the problems in most other cities.

He emphasized the importance of rigid milk inspection, showing by pictures the unclean condition of stables and poorly kept cows in contrast with ideal conditions, showing also a few slides giving a general idea of the appearance, under the microscope, of milk containing too large a percentage of bacteria. The fly nuisance was shown on the slides, the fly industriously spreading bacteria.

The milk provided for modification at the milk depots is furnished under contract guaranteeing ideal conditions, the guarantee being for not more than 10 per cent. of bacteria, which is said to be practically perfect.

The committee of the Young Women's hospital guild having charge of the milk depot hopes to hold the first conference of mothers next Monday afternoon. The depot will be opened in Market street, between Dutton and Warthen, a location accessible to a large area of congested territory. The room is being put into thoroughly hygienic condition, and once a week the babies will be carried there by their mothers and cards made out, under the doctor's prescription, for exactly the right kind of modified milk for each particular child.

In case a child at the next conference does not show the desired gain,

the prescription will be changed. The nurse, Miss Lindsay, will be in charge, to follow out the doctor's orders in preparing the modified milk; and it will also be a part of her duty to visit the mothers in their homes, and give such assistance and advice as may be necessary.

**"BOB" CHANLER**  
May Become Husband of Mme. Cavaleri

NEW YORK, April 1.—Ex-Sheriff Bob Chanler is a mighty anxious man, and well he might be. April 15 he is to get a cablegram from Europe, and if

Dutchess county, the title still sticking to him. He has some \$2,000,000 to help along his painting fads, and he is a member of the famous Chanler family of New York and Virginia. Mme. Cavaleri has said she liked Sheriff Bob better than any of her army of suitors, but to be married—well, she wanted to think it over, and so she sailed for Europe, promising to send the cable answer by noon April 15. "And I'll have my bed in the cable office for the next two weeks," admits Sheriff Bob.

**THE ALDERMEN**  
REFUSED TO CONFIRM ASSESSORS NAMED IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, April 1.—The assessors are without the customary six assistants in the work of levying the taxes,

the board of aldermen yesterday afternoon having refused to confirm the appointments recommended by the three assessors. The list was as follows: Dennis Gilmartin, Daniel H. Logue, John Powers, Jeremiah J. Cavanaugh, Albert Moss and Joseph A. Murphy. The criticism voiced by Alderman Jordan was that the assessors had ignored the aldermen in the selections. Assessor Finn defended the course of the assessors. The session was a special one, the assessors having urged upon Mayor White the need of immediate action after the aldermen had laid the names on the table at last Monday night's meeting. Alderman Tobin voted in favor of the list, while Aldermen Callahan, Jordan and Scanlon were opposed and Aldermen Ford and Moss did not vote.

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**MOTHER IS DEAD**  
And Her Son Committed Suicide

NORTH EASTON, April 1.—Believing that his mother's constant care for him during a two years' illness had hastened her death by apoplexy Wednesday, Frederick B. Hall, 18 years old, son of Samuel W. Hall, yesterday killed himself by shooting. The boy was just recovering from an attack of nervous prostration when his mother died. Mother and son will be buried together.

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We have spent a great deal of time this season in selecting Men's Suits only from the best manufacturers; not how cheap, but how good, has been our aim.

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Exclusive and Up-to-Date Suits, Coats, Skirts and Millinery.

There is now arriving in our Ladies' and Girls' Department some of the best models and exclusive patterns to be found in any store not priced beyond the means of the working girl or woman.

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## A WOMAN'S ANSWER



Every Day — The Grocers Say.



the cablegram says "Yes" Sheriff Bob is to be made the happiest of happy, for he will have won the most beautiful woman on the opera stage. Mme. Lina Cavaleri, as his wife, Sheriff Bob is an artist in New York city and was once elected sheriff of

## SALMON FISHING

Was Begun in Penobscot River Today

BANGOR, Me., April 1.—Salmon fishing in the Penobscot was begun today, the law which opens the season going into effect after midnight this morning. The water was clear of ice, contrary to the usual conditions at this date and the casting for the first fish was watched with great interest. The first Penobscot salmon is displayed in the local market and is usually sent away to New York. It always brings a high price.

One of the most popular sports in Maine, salmon fishing on the Penobscot, is slowly becoming a lost pleasure. Dams have made it hard for the salmon to reach the spawning grounds far up the river, poachers have greatly depleted the supply, the black bass have eaten the young fry by the millions and the pulp mills along the river have added their injurious chemicals to the water. The silver-sided, pink-meated fish, delicate polluted waters and the number returning to the Penobscot each spring is smaller. Old anglers and students of the salmon say that it is only a question of a few years when there will be no old salmon to pilot the young back to the river and then the Penobscot salmon, famous the country over, will be but a memory.

Next week is "quarter week" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Make that deposit today, however.

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## BALLINGER HEARING

Was Resumed With Secretary's Counsel in Charge of Evidence

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The Ballinger hearing went on today with Secretary Ballinger's counsel in charge of the presentation of evidence. The taking of testimony in behalf of the cabinet officer began last Saturday afternoon after Attorney Vertrees had made his opening statement in which he declared that much of the testimony against Mr. Ballinger would be shown to be false, and sharply criticized James R. Garfield and Clifford Pinchot for their share in the attack on the secretary of the interior.

As the hearing progresses indications multiply that the congressional committee so seriously split along party lines that a unanimous report is beyond possibility. The democratic members have gone so far as to notify their republican colleagues that they will participate in the executive sessions of the committee only upon the understanding that they shall be free to announce their votes and their contentions during the public sittings. The executive sessions have not been very harmonious, especially the one of Saturday last when the question of compelling Secretary Ballinger to testify as the first witness for the defense was under consideration. Following this session the democrats announced that with the exception of Senator Purcell of South Dakota they had voted in favor of compelling the secretary of the interior to appear. Rep. Madison, (Kansas), insurgent, voted with the democrats.



## The Stein-Bloch Suits and Top Coats

At \$20

Shown this week at The Smart Clothes Shop, have the ring of true economy

To buy garments of indifferent make that simply appeal to the eye or the pocketbook, is not real economy.

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We've spread ourselves on the \$20.00 range of Stein-Bloch Suits and Topcoats. Many of the styles are easily worth a couple dollars more, but we're satisfied. Our expenses are comparatively modest and we can afford to work on smaller margins than are usual.

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There's plenty variety both in fabrics and models in the showing of suits. Black thibet, blue serge, blue fancy worsteds, and gray fancy worsteds, and gray mixed cassimeres are the prominent fabrics, and these are shown in several coat models, closing with three or two buttons, showing the first button of the vest, which is cut high and without a collar.

The trousers have permanent cuffs or unfinished bottoms, to be finished to any length or in any style desired.

The topcoats include the new model "Totten Row," like cut, in fancy chevrons and the regular box coat with square pockets, in black or fancy colors.

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Navy Blue and Fancy Stripes, well made, good fitters, guaranteed fast colors. Sizes 33 to 44. Price \$10.00

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Men's Blue Overalls, railroad style, extra high waist, two front swing pockets, made from extra heavy drill, two hip pockets, riveted buttons and felled seams, no raw edges, 45c Coats to match.

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Men's Stylish Four-in-Hand Ties, in silk and satin, plain colors and newest stripes or figures. . . 25c

Men's Four-in-Hands in beautiful contrasting colors, light or dark ground in all the new shades, 50c

Men's Elastic Web Suspenders, leather ends and cast off, assorted patterns and colors, . . . 25c per pair

Men's Extra Quality Police Suspenders, double stitched ends in assorted stripes, . . . 25c to 50c

Men's Fine Striped Madras, Chambray and Oxford Shirts also plain Chambrays. Price. . . \$1.00

Men's White Cotton Night Shirts, extra quality material. . . 50c

OUR PRICES FOR HIGH CLASS GOODS ARE EXCEPTIONALLY LOW

Boys' Bull Dog Caps in fancy tweeds and plain colors. . . 50c

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Young Men's Fur Felt Caps, light gray, . . \$1.50 to \$2

Men's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, fancy borders, 5c, 10c, 15c each

Men's Collars, in all the shapes, 1/4 sizes.

Men's Working Pants, (not all wool), \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50

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Women's Stylish Suits, \$12.00 to \$40.00  
Women's Stylish Skirts, \$1.00 to \$12.00  
Women's Hats, \$2.50 to \$20.00  
Women's and Children's Shoes, \$1.25 to \$4.00

## MEN'S CLOTHING

Men's Nobly All Wool Suits, \$7.50 to \$30.00  
Boys' Fancy and School Suits, \$1.98 to \$8.00  
Men's Spring Top Coats, \$10.00 to \$25.00  
Men's Hats, \$2.00 to \$3.00  
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## A STAR WITNESS

Camera Man Tells About Great Sale of Liquor in Maine

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 1.—The most sensational liquor trials in local history were heard before Judge R. F. Cleaves yesterday, when evidence obtained by Sheriff Charles O. Emery and the new famous camera man for violation of the prohibitory law was presented. The police court was crowded throughout the day. There were search and seizures, single sale, common seller and nuisance cases or practically every form known of violation of the Maine liquor law.

The "camera man," who has been obtaining evidence for a month, was the star attraction. His name is Fred Wayne of Boston and represented himself as a U. S. gypsy moth inspector, and caught some of the insects. He also took pictures of many places where he thought the prohibitory law was violated.

Of more interest yesterday was his testimony that he had been a detective in the U. S. district attorney's office at Boston for four years and had worked for corporations and railroads in the same capacity. He had been secured by Sheriff Emery and County Atty. Hobbs to catch violators of the liquor law and established a reputation of being the best witness seen here in many years.

## Severe Sentences Asked

He was accompanied in court yesterday by George E. P. Kingsley of Biddeford, a ministerial looking young man, while Wayne looked like a house-painter.

Joseph Leclair pleaded guilty to five single sales and in addition was charged with search and seizure and nuisance. County Atty. F. A. Hobbs said determined effort had been made to secure rigid enforcement with favors shown to none, and asked for a severe sentence, in order to deter others from engaging in the rum business.

He called for jail sentences as well as fines and said that these remarks

would apply to the respondents who came up later as well as to Leclair. Judge Cleaves imposed a fine of \$50 and costs or 30 days in jail on each of the single sales. Leclair was found guilty on the search and seizure charge and fined \$100 and costs or 30 days in jail. The nuisance charge was continued until May under \$500 bail.

## Transactions With Morin

Thomas Morin pleaded not guilty to a charge of pocket peddling and Mr. Wayne came into the limelight at once. He told of getting acquainted with Morin and asking for a half pint. Morin lifted his coat tail and told him to take the flask from his hip pocket and he did so, giving 25 cents for the liquor. He had pictures taken of Morin. At this point Kingsley testified to buying half pints of liquor of Morin. On each of the single sales he was fined \$50 and costs or 30 days in jail. He was also found guilty on an unlawful possession charge and fined \$100 and costs. He appealed in each case.

Wallace F. Percival, a Main street druggist, was charged with being a common seller. The court found probable cause and ordered him to furnish \$500 bonds for his appearance in May. He waived a hearing on a nuisance charge and was bound over until May. In each of seven single sales Percival was found guilty and fined \$50 and costs in each case.

The bottles of liquor bought of pocket peddlers and druggists by the doctives during their stay in Biddeford filled a big dress suit case.

## SENATOR BILBO

Says He Accepted a Bribe of \$645

JACKSON, Miss., April 1.—Exonerating himself from moral and legal liabilities therefor, on the ground that he was acting as a detective for the Vardaman forces and to prove that bribery was being used in the recent senatorial contest, State Senator Theodore Bilbo appeared before an executive session of the senate last night and told how he had accepted a \$645 bribe from Hon. L. C. Dulane, a wealthy planter of Issaquena county, to change his vote from former Gov. Vardaman to United States Senator Leroy Percy.

Bilbo was placed on the stand after the adoption of a resolution changing the plan of procedure originally adopted. The attorneys employed by Bilbo, Dulane and others were excluded from the senate chamber and a resolution was adopted providing that the senate select two of its members to act as attorneys and that Bilbo be permitted to select two colleagues to act in the same capacity for him. Bilbo, it is said, told the senate that it was first suggested to him in January that he might sell his vote for a good sum; that he arranged a meeting with Dulane through another person but this arrangement failed and he finally opened negotiations direct.

## PLEASANT SURPRISE

TENDERED MR. AND MRS. E. K. BALDWIN

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Baldwin were most pleasantly surprised by their fellow members of the Oakland Book club at the club meeting held Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fleming, in Parkview avenue when they were presented one of the Lester G. Hornby etchings from the collection now at the Whistler house. The affair was a complete surprise to the recipients. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin left the city yesterday for Geneva, N. Y., where they are to reside for the future.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Yesterday's change of bill at the opera house brought four excellent vaudeville acts and three new reels of pictures all of which may be seen for the small sum of ten cents. The vaudeville features of yesterday's bill were Scamp and Tully, billed as "The Fashion Plate Humongers," an exceptionally clever singing act that would be a feature on any vaudeville program and during which handsome

gowns are worn by the female member of the team. The Reed Sisters, a duo of petite and clever dancers do some excellent acrobatic and soft shoe dancing that wins warm approval from the auditor. Fred Welton performs some new and difficult feats of hand balancing and introduces a pair of clever trained dogs in his act. Harris and Dale in a comedy musical offering play various instruments and keep the audience in good humor with their jokes. The pictures include a Biograph reel entitled "Gold is Not All," one from the Selig company entitled "The Treasure Hunt," two good comedy pictures called "The Ranchman's Wooling" and "The Air Ship Gaze." The same bill will be repeated today and Saturday and Sunday afternoon and evening there will be a new program offered. The prices are five and ten cents.

## THEATRE VOYONS

The new bill at the Theatre Voyons yesterday was one of the best of the season. "Gold is Not All," a Biograph feature is a pleasing drama of everyday life which contrasts the happiness of a poor but loved wife and a society matron who has gold but not happiness. "A Little Vixen," a Pathé comedy, is really funny and Polar Bear Lighting is a most interesting picture of actual conditions in the frozen north. "The Dress Suit Case Mystery" is a thrilling story of business life into which is woven a pleasing love story. The songs are both of the best class and are sung in an applause-winning manner.

## ACADEMY OF MUSIC

At the Academy of Music a truly great bill is in evidence. Woodford's Educated Animals is an act that entertains both young and old, and Count the second is a wonderful monkey with a human brain. Harry La Marr is a host in himself. The ladies almost go into hysterics at his queer sayings and old maidish mannerisms, while his dances are a thing of beauty and a joy forever. Joe Blott sings a song in his usual fetching style, and

there are new pictures including a Biograph. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

## HATHAWAY THEATRE

The program legend "The Monkey With the Human Brain," applied to Lady Betty, who is at Hathaway's theatre, is not mere chatter. It comes very near the truth. Lady Betty must think it would seem from the countless new she performs in an almost human manner. She threads a needle and sews; she eats a meal and uses her fork well; she

rides a bicycle just as if it were the greatest recreation for her; she smokes a cigaret and appears to enjoy it, and she goes to bed after lighting a candle and walking across the stage with it.

Other spots of brightness on the bill are: Three Bannans, jugglers of Indian clubs; Mme. Orban's cockatoos; Brady & Mahoney, in "The Hebrew Fireman and the Foreman;" John Zookoulakis, Greek clay modeller and musician; Randall & Ridgely in "A Pressing Matter;" Neil McKinley, character singer, and the Hathascopes.

## Be Wise in Time

You cannot keep well unless the bowels are regular. Neglect of this rule of health invites half the sicknesses from which we suffer. Keep the bowels right; otherwise waste matter and poisons which should pass out of the body, find their way into the blood and sicken the whole system. Don't wait until the bowels are constipated; take

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## Y.M.C.A. BUILDING

## Plans for the Structure Submitted

Tentative plans for the new Y. M. C. A. building have been submitted. Architect Husey of Chicago has laid out about 15 different plans since his last visit to Lowell and submitted four of the best to the committee. The committee has declared itself in favor of one of the four plans. It is hoped that all the details of the building may be satisfactorily arranged so that it may be started by the middle of May. Mr. Husey said that in Chicago the building as planned would cost about \$135,000, but if Lowell found conditions such as Manchester found, a saving of \$10,000 could be made over the Chicago figures.

The plan calls for a men's entrance in Merrimack street and a boys' entrance in Shattuck street. The main building will be along the canal four stories in height. At the end toward Market street would be located the large gymnasium. Its roof would be glass and there would be nothing above it, thus permitting the gymnasium to be well lighted. The gymnasium would really be a one-story addition to the main building.

The swimming tank is placed in the jog of the building made by the angle turning into Shattuck street on the side toward Market street. It also would be in the nature of a one-story glass-roofed projection from that portion of the building, and it would be set at the edge of the canal, so that the bottom of the tank would be on a line with the Merrimack House frontage rather than the Wentworth property adjoining the new building. This would give an area between the sidewalk line and the entrance somewhat like that which used to be in front of Huntington hall.

On entering this entrance the men's quarters would be encountered and beyond them the secretary's offices. These offices would be so placed that they would command an oversight of both the Merrimack and Shattuck street entrances, thus permitting one man the chance to look after both and thus reduce the expense of maintenance. The boys' entrance in Shattuck street would be directly into the boys' quarters. Opportunities to reach the gymnasium from the various portions of the building would be ample and one would not conflict with the other.

The main building will span the canal, but, being raised five feet, it will permit the basement, so called, to be of ample height and still be well above the canal level. Down there will be the locker rooms. Entrances to the gymnasium will be from down in the basement, and will be by means of a rise of five steps, placing the gymnasium floor half way between the basement floor and the ground floor.

The second floor will be given up to the hall and class rooms. The hall itself will seat 225 and, when the four class rooms are opened into it by means of accordion doors, it will be 100 feet long and will seat over 600. There will be a stage and dressing rooms at one end. The third and fourth floors will be used as dormitories.

## PAWTUCKET SOCIAL CLUB

A pleasant smoke talk and entertainment was held last night by the Pawtucketville social club. There was a large attendance, good speakers were present and a varied as well as interesting program was carried out during the evening.

President H. J. Martel presided. Maxine Lapine of L'Etiole, L. C. Gallinas and Dr. Pierre N. Brunelle were the speakers. Elzear J. Laroche of L'Etiole, H. Charbonneau and H. Hebert furnished some good comic songs. The club has on its program a series of free solos which will be given with a view of bringing together more the French American residents of that section, and promoting social progress and spirit. The first will be a whist and concert in the middle of April, and the second lecture by Rep. Ben. Baron, O. M. L., the first week of May.

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## A SPRY OLD LADY

## Mrs. Martha M. Baker 95 Years Old

Mrs. Martha M. Baker of 73 B street observed her 95th birthday yesterday and although suffering with a cold and from the effects of a fall a few days ago, she was in excellent spirits and received the congratulations of neighbors and friends. Mrs. Baker lives alone on the ground floor of her house and she prepares her own meals and does her own housework. Her neighbors are always ready to assist her when she finds her work too hard. Mrs. Baker is a native of New Durham, N. H. Her husband worked in the Lowell mills for several years, but they have not resided here continuously. They came to Lowell in 1885, and after living here a number of years they went to Virginia. This was in the 40's. Later they went to New York city, where Mrs. Baker was employed on the police force, for many years and was finally retired on a pension. They returned to Lowell as to their home city.

## CARRIAGE SMASHED BY COLLISION WITH AUTO LAST EVENING

The automobile of Charles Griffin, of 121 South Walker street, and a carriage driven by a man named Dewey of 4 Runelle place, off Thorndike street, met in collision in Middlesex street at the foot of Thorndike street hill, about 7:30 o'clock last evening. It is needless to state what happened to the carriage. Neither of the occupants was injured.

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph Warren Tyler, of New York city, and Miss Katherine Eastman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Eastman, were united in marriage last night at six o'clock at St. Ann's church, Rev. A. St. John Chubb officiating.

Preceding the ceremony Mr. Arthur C. Spaulding played an excellent program of organ music and also played the usual wedding marches.

The bride was attended by a maid of honor and three bridesmaids, and was given away by her father, Mr. W. A. Eastman. The bride was gowned in white Duchesse satin trimmed with Duchesse lace and embroidered with pearls, and carried a shower bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. The gowns of the bridesmaids made an exquisitely pretty color scheme. They were all of crepe meteor, that of the maid of honor being of blue and the bridesmaids of white. The bridesmaids carried white sweet peas, and the maid of honor, pink Killarney roses.

The best man was Mr. A. Carlyle Porteous of New York city, and the ushers were Messrs. Robert and Murray Tyler of New York, brothers of the bridegroom; Mr. Kenneth Maguire of New York, and Mr. Karl Bicknell of Lowell.

After the marriage there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, 14 Smith avenue, to relatives and the bride's intimate friends.

After a short trip of two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler will remain in Lowell and New York until the first of June, when they expect to go to Santos, Brazil, where Mr. Tyler is engaged in business.

## ALLEN-COOTE

Miss Sarah J. Coote, daughter of Mrs. B. Coote, of 61 Hoyt avenue, this city, and Mr. William H. Allen, of Boston, were united in marriage Wednesday night at the home of the bride's mother, Rev. N. T. Whitaker officiating. The house was decorated with beautiful flowers and a large number of valuable and appropriate presents evidenced sincere friends. The wedding ceremony was attended by a company of the bride's friends who partook of a tasty lunch of cake, tea, cream, coffee and lemonade. Mr. and Mrs. Allen will live at Boston Highlands.

Deposits made on or before Saturday, April 23, in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank begin to draw interest on that date.

## Madame Katherine Is in THE BASEMENT

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## Comfortable Underwear

For spring wear will be found here in every desirable grade and style, and at prices that will please the shrewdest and best posted buyers. It's hard to select any particular style for mention when so many deserve notice. However, we quote some prices below and they will reveal to you the very best underwear values this department has ever shown. Better than last year's heat is what we are working for in this section of the store and the goods this season are helping a long way to make this easy to accomplish.

**Women's Cotton Vests**—In low and high neck, short sleeves and no sleeves—plain crocheted edge yoke and lace trimmed, extra good value ..... 12 1-2c

**Women's Lisle Thread Vests**—In low neck, high neck and round neck, short sleeves, no sleeves and long sleeves, lace trimmed yoke of Valenciennes; also Irish crocheted, silk ribbon draw string, about twenty styles at ..... 25c

**Women's Superfine Lisle Thread Vests**—In low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless. Yokes of embroidered batiste or Valenciennes lace insertion and edge with bending and silk drawing string; also with hand crocheted silk edge. Fifteen or twenty styles, all at ..... 50c

**Real Imported Swiss Ribbed Vests**—In low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless, hand crocheted edge, extra fine goods ..... 50c

We have various other lines in silk and lisle, silk plaited and all silk that are remarkably good values and worthy your attention. Prices range up to \$1.50 each.

**Union Suits**—Special value in fine lisle suits in all styles, high and low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless, and long sleeves, in knee length, both cuff and umbrella style; also ankle length, all styles, ..... 50c

**Union Suits**—Of mercerized silk lisle, genuine Swiss, ribbed fine, beautifully finished garments with hand crocheted silk heading, yoke and silk draw string, low neck and no sleeves, knee length in both cuff and umbrella styles ..... \$1.00

**Cumfy Cut Vests**—Something entirely new, the feature being in the shoulder straps, which are so placed that they positively will not slip off. Lisle finish, lace edge and draw string, all sizes ..... 12 1-2c

## Glassware AT CUT PRICES

Timely offerings of beautiful, novel and useful articles for the adornment of the home and particularly the table. An extraordinary opportunity to replenish the china and glass ware at a very considerable saving over every-day prices.

## Goods on Sale in Basement—

Friday, Saturday and Monday

Fancy Bon Bon Dishes—Regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Bon Bon Dishes—Gold edge, regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Spoons—Gold edge, regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Sauce Dishes—Gold edge, regularly 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Bon Bon Dishes—Regularly 25c, sale price ..... 10c

Fancy Glass Baskets—Regularly 25c, sale price ..... 10c

Fancy Glass Trays—Regularly 40c, sale price ..... 25c

Fancy Cracker Jars—Regularly 95c, sale price ..... 40c

Fancy Glass Fruit Dishes—Regularly 10c, sale price ..... 4c

Fancy Water Glasses—Regularly 5c and 10c, sale price ..... 5c

Fancy Water Sets with Trays—Regularly 95c, sale price ..... 40c

Wine Sets—(Cut pattern), regularly 95c, sale price ..... 75c

Table Sets—4 pieces, green, ruby and gold, regularly \$1.50, sale price ..... 95c

Table Sets—4 pieces, cut pattern, regularly \$1.50, sale price ..... 95c

Handsome Fruit Bowls—Regularly 95c, sale price ..... 40c

Intaglio Glass Dishes—Regularly \$1.00, sale price ..... 95c

Ruby Water Sets with Tray—Regularly \$1.50, sale price ..... 1.25

Colonial Vases—12 inches tall, regularly \$1.25, sale price ..... 95c

Glass Rolling Pins—Regularly 25c, sale price ..... 10c

## EXTRA SPECIAL

For Friday and Saturday

25 Fine French China Tea Sets—In beautiful floral decorations under glass in 1st. 50 pieces in each set; regular price \$7.98, sale price ..... \$4.98

## Coats and Suits

Women who seek clothes of style, snap and quality will find our department meets every requirement. We cater to the women of particular taste who appreciate a combination of style, refinement and moderate price in any suit or coat they may wish to buy.

These few special items for Friday and Saturday will prove interesting:

**Serge Suit, \$15.98**—This is one of our special attractions in the garment department for Friday and Saturday. An all wool serge in shades of pearl, tan, reseda, navy and black. Coat lined with two-year guaranteed satin; collar and cuffs inlaid with satin to match and button trimmed. Skirt is the new style full pleated effect. This suit is in all sizes to 46 and is a remarkable value at ..... \$15.98

**Extra Size Suits, \$21.00**—We look out for the big sizes in our department and have suits in stock to fit up to 50 inch bust. One noteworthy suit, entirely new, is of dark oxford-mixture and light and medium gray worsteds with coat lined with Skinner's satin and two styles skirts; either cluster pleated or overskirt effect, button trimmed. This comes in regular sizes; also for extra up to 50 size, and in short waisted models for short people ..... \$21.00

**Fine Tailored Suits, \$25.00**—At \$25.00 we are offering you the opportunity to buy some of the best tailored suits in the market, strictly custom tailored and fancy trimmed in serges, mannish mixtures and the new sharks' skin cloth and with beautiful lustrous peau de cygne linings; matching to perfection. All the new pastel shades of violet, reseda, hickory, walnut, tan and mustard are included. Fit and finish of each garment reflect the most careful workmanship ..... \$25.00

**Narrow Wale Diagonal Coat, \$13.98**—One of the season's best models, 54 inch length, semi-fitting. Colors: Navy and black, with collar, cuffs and patch pocket of blue and white or black and white, shepherd's check. Sizes for misses and children ..... \$13.98

**Serge Coat, \$10.00**—All wool cloth in fast colors, navy and black, double yoke of same material, welted seams, pleated back, notched collar faced with black moire, sizes for misses and women ..... \$10.00

**Odd Size Coats, \$7.98**—We make a feature of fitting stout figures and a special coat in a 34 inch model is especially noteworthy. All wool serge, satin lined throughout and with moire trimmed collar. We can fit any figure in this number which is really a \$10.00 value ..... \$7.98

**Young Ladies' Raincoat, \$4.98**—The slip-on raincoat is becoming an almost indispensable article these days. Here's a specially good one at a saving. Tan and gray material with mannish sleeve and wind shield cuff, latest model, all sizes, a \$6.00 garment ..... \$4.98

## DRESS GOODS

1500 Yards Specially Priced

A sensational clearance of extremely popular dress goods intended for spring and summer wear. No unfavorable conditions of weather should keep the thrifty woman away from this sale Friday and Saturday. Some of the materials are 38 inches wide; others are 42 and a few are 50 inch goods. Such popular favorites as this season's diagonal invisible stripes and checks, satin stripe prunellas and shepherd checks are included in the lot. Every one has retailed at from 50c to 60c up to closing time yesterday. All now at one price ..... 39c

**36 Inch Narrow Wale Diagonals**—Brown, Green, Navy, Royal, Wistaria, French Blue, Tan ..... **Your Choice 39c yd.**

**42 In. Shadow Checks**—Cream, Red, Brown, Navy ..... **39c yd.**

**36 In. Satin Stripe Prunellas**—Navy, Green, Black ..... **39c yd.**

**50 In. Black and White Shepherd Checks** ..... **39c yd.**

**36 In. Invisible Stripe Serges** ..... **39c yd.**

## BEAUTIFUL OILED PORTRAITS

Absolutely Free

We are giving coupons with every purchase at our store, and if you will save these until you have collected to the amount of ten dollars and bring them to us we will make for you, on canvas, a genuine black and white oiled painting, life size bust from any photograph or tintype you may bring us, absolutely free. We pay for the painting and all the expense to you is for the frame, which is furnished at actual cost.

Samples of these beautiful oiled paintings are on exhibition in all parts of the store. The pictures are made only by the Black and White Co., and cannot be bought at any price. This is a most attractive offer and one we hope will be interesting to our customers. We guarantee the safe return of all photographs and satisfaction in every way. Begin saving the coupons now. See sample pictures at our store.

## New Millinery Ideas

EVERY DAY

It is time to choose your new hat now. The weather is favorable for spring bonnets, the styles are most delightful and the variety in our department is of unusual merit, both as to quality and price. You will have no difficulty in selecting a hat just in accord with your own individual taste if you come here for it. There are hundreds of original designs from our own workrooms, besides a large showing of Parisian pattern hats. New models are added almost every day.

**Camden Hat**—Made of hair braid, roses and foliage trimming. Colors: Black, navy, champagne and green, for ..... **\$2.98**

**Helena Hat**—Of rough braid, trimming of silk flowers, foliage and messaline ribbon. Colors: Black, violet, champagne, navy, for ..... **\$3.98**

**Maxims Hat**—A pressed shape, draped crown, messaline facing, roses, lilies, foliage and messaline ribbon for trimming. Colors: Black, burnt, green and navy for ..... **\$4.98**

**Princess Hat**—Of satin braid, trimming of messaline silk roses, wheat and velvet. Colors: Black, navy, green and natural, for ..... **\$5.98**

**A New Line of Ready-to-Wear Hats**—Trimming of velvet, silk and quills in black and colors, for ..... **98c**

**Rolling Brim and Straight Brim Sailor Hats**—In all the new colors, for **\$1.98 upwards**

**Untrimmed Hats**—In all the latest up-to-date styles, for ..... **69c, 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98**

**Beautiful Line of Flowers**—In roses, lilies, foliage, grasses and wheat for **19c, 25c, 49c and 69c**

## Thomson's Glove Fitting Corsets

The response to our announcement regarding Thomson's Corsets a few weeks ago was so general and so instantaneous that we have made arrangements whereby we shall be able to still further demonstrate the sterling good qualities of the Glove Fitting Corsets to about 400 of our customers.

With the understanding that we shall use them to advertise our department and Thomson's Corsets in particular, we have received from the factory 400 pairs of a regular \$2.00 corset, one of the very latest models, and we have been authorized to offer this special lot at exactly

HALF PRICE or \$1.00 A PAIR

The idea of this is that after a woman becomes acquainted with the good points of the Glove Fitting kind she is more than likely to be a permanent user of this special make and so by the sale of these 400 pairs of corsets at this special price of \$1 each we hope to make 400 regular through-the-year customers of the Thomson Glove Fitting.

These go on sale Friday morning. There are 400 pairs and there will be no more except at the regular price of \$2.00 each. All sizes.

## The Most Fascinating Shirt Waists

Shown this season have been opened in our stock this week. Dressy enough for the most important occasion. Sheer and summery enough for warm days that are to come. We mention a few of the novelties received only yesterday—it is a delight to see them—how much more of a pleasure it would be to own one for wear! Only a few of a kind, so choose early.

**Waist of Persian Lawn**—Very fine and sheer—panels of baby Irish insertion back and front with graduated tucks, French back, hand crocheted buttons, bishop sleeves, collar and long cuffs, lace trimmed ..... **\$3.98**

**Waist of Silk Batiste**—A very stunning, stylish waist with fancy pointed yoke of hand embroidery Madeira work front, back, collar, sleeves and cuffs all trimmed with real Valenciennes insertion, ..... **\$4.98**

**Marquise Waist**—One of the very latest. Square yoke of German Val. and real Chiny and collar of same; front of the new and very effective Russian embroidery, hand crocheted buttons; sleeves are three-quarter length ..... **\$5.98**

**Waist of Persian Lawn**—Mercerized finish. This waist has the effect of a silk crepe waist, as it is made throughout, front, back, sleeves and cuffs of the finest and closest pin-head tucks. Front, back, yoke and collar are trimmed with real Chiny. An attractive waist at this price, ..... **\$5.98**

**Lingerie Waist**—Of sheerest handkerchief lawn, fancy yoke of beautiful hand embroidery in solid and eyelet work; sleeves also have panel of same—the whole waist trimmed with real Val. lace. This is a copy of a \$10 Parisian waist ..... **\$7.50**

**Marquise Waist**—An entirely new idea in the effective Russian embroidery, cut in new style with seamless shoulder having an insertion of embroidery and thread lace. The sleeve in the three-quarter length has panel of the same embroidery, collar and cuffs of real thread lace. One of the novelty waists that we pride ourselves in showing ..... **\$7.98**

## THE BON MARCHE SPECIAL OXFORD

You can be fitted here today or tomorrow in a good, sensible low shoe in all the new shapes and fashionable leathers at a very moderate price. The Bon Marche Special is the best shoe value at the price that can be found anywhere, and twenty or more styles this season are shown. Blucher style, in kid skin with patent leather tips—calfskin or patent leather; ankle strap pump; one eyelet sailor toe, tan, gun metal and black, high Cuban or low, high, medium or light weight soles; any style; any size ..... **\$2.00**

OPENING SALE — SPRING WASH GOODS — TODAY — IN BASEMENT



# HON. BUTLER AMES

## Declares in Favor of Reciprocity With Canada

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Representative Butler Ames has taken up the cause of reciprocity with Canada. He introduced a resolution on the subject yesterday and called the matter to the attention of the house during the consideration of the conference report on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

Mr. Ames says that one lesson taught

by the recent election in the 14th congressional district of Massachusetts is that the doctrine of Canadian reciprocity is growing in popularity. Mr. Ames' resolution is as follows:

"Resolved: That it is the sense and judgment of this house that negotiations with Canada should be instituted at this time with a view to establishing closer commercial ties and freer trade relations with that country; and ordered that a copy of this resolution

### HOW TO CURE ECZEMA, PIMPLES, AND DANDRUFF.

We desire to say that when we took the agency for ZEMO, we were convinced that it was a valuable remedy for eczema, pimples, and dandruff. Yet, we must frankly admit that Zemo has far exceeded our expectations as a treatment for skin diseases. We are pleased to state that we shall continue the agency as ZEMO has given splendid results wherever recommended. Our customers like ZEMO too, because it is a clean vegetable liquid for external use.

ZEMO effects its cures by drawing to the surface of the skin and destroying the germ life that causes the disease, leaving the skin clear and healthy. It does not soil the clothing or linen and can be used freely on infants.

With every purchase we give a booklet on skin diseases explaining in simple words how any person can be cured at home of any form of skin or scalp diseases by this clean, scientific remedy. A. W. Dows & Co., druggists.

be transmitted to the president of the United States."

When the diplomatic and consular bill conference report was called up by Representative Foster of Vermont, the new chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, yesterday, democratic opposition developed to a senate amendment appropriating \$25,000 to aid the state department to conduct tariff and trade negotiations with foreign governments. Mr. Ames took the floor and lauded the democrats on their opposition to the provision which would make possible the negotiation of a reciprocity treaty with Canada.

Mr. Ames said: "A man was just elected to congress in my state who ran for lieutenant governor a year ago and came near being elected upon the issue of reciprocity with Canada. He was victorious in the recent special election upon a platform a leading plank of which declared for Canadian reciprocity. Here is an opportunity for democrats to vote for a winning issue."

Mr. Ames has just returned from Florida. He says that all reports received from Massachusetts are favorable to his candidacy for the senate. Asked whether he would make his campaign on the issue of reciprocity with Canada, Mr. Ames replied: "No, but I regard it as good republican doctrine."

Discussing the election of Mr. Foster, Mr. Ames said: "My friends, democratic leaders in the state, and many independent observers of the situation, have expressed the opinion that the outcome of the special election was rather a rebuke to Senator Lodge and his machine methods of politics than a protest against the Taft administration. The Lodge people are frightened and are working hard, but it is too late, according to my advice from all parts of the state."

### "MITCHELL DAY"

Observed By the Striking Miners Today

PITTSBURG, April 1.—What is known to the public at large as "All-

## We Won't Fool You

Twenty new styles of lace and embroidery trimmed corset covers, most of them worth 49c, now ..... 29c

15 styles of lace and embroidery trimmed combinations, a manufacturer's surplus stock, all sizes, but not in every style ..... 69c

Short petticoats of white seersucker, which does not require ironing, a new practical garment at the unusual price of ..... 47c

New styles of colored tailored, middie collar or lingerie waists, the best we have ever seen for ..... 97c

Shirt waist suits of checked or plaid gingham or plain chambray, new pleated skirt, your choice of 25 colors or patterns ..... \$3.50

Tailored and semi-tailored button front waists, many new styles and clever new designs, 97c to \$3.97

Messaline and taffeta silk waists, blacks and colors, some of them look like \$4.98 waists now... \$2.97

Ten new styles of messaline and taffeta silk waists, some tailored and some with lace yokes, button front or back ..... \$5.00

Taffeta silk petticoats, blacks and colors, sectional flounce, finished with bias strappings, the best we have \$5.00 ever had for.....

### The White Store

116 Merrimack St.

Fools Day" is to Pittsburgh "Indignation Day" and to the 40,000 striking miners in this district "Mitchell Day." The last name is in recognition of the services of John Mitchell, former president of the United Mineworkers in winning his fight eleven years ago for an eight hour workday. The miners have always observed this day as a holiday and have sometimes had so good a time that it has taken two or three days thereafter to get back to work. Whether this year's breach in negotiations for a new wage scale and working agreement means a longer suspension is a matter which troubled them little in their merry making today.

It is "Indignation Day" as officially set by a civic committee for public condemnation of the graft disclosures and a monster mass meeting for this purpose is to be held tonight at Exposition hall. It is coincident with the fact that today or tomorrow at the latest the grand jury will come out with the much-awaited-for names of the men higher-up in the graft scandals.

### THE ALPINES WON

Have a Good Hold on the Trophy

The Alpines won two points from the Burkes in the game played in the Catholic league series last night and thereby clinched the hold on the trophy offered as a prize for the winner of the series. The first and second strings were won by the Alpines the third going to the Burkes. Dwyer of the winning team was the king pin. The score:

Alpines	1	2	3	Tot
Farrell	10	85	82	257
Kelley	81	86	81	255
Wynne	93	88	85	266
Lwyer	105	99	86	290
McCormack	95	90	102	287
Totals	484	468	436	1391
Burkes	1	2	3	Tot
Gleason	91	102	92	285
Higgins	75	71	86	232
Duggan	85	85	100	270
Mullin	84	80	84	248
Craze	101	86	89	276
Totals	436	424	441	1301

### NEW HALL SITE

With an Entrance on Merrimack Street

One of the most recent propositions for a public hall site is the group of buildings in Paige street about in the rear of the Hibernia building and by bridging over the alley that runs parallel to Merrimack and Paige streets have an entrance to the hall from Merrimack street.

John Tighe  
11-12 DUTTON STREET  
Late of the Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., has accepted a position as salesman with the Hibernia Jewelry Co. of 374 Washington street, Boston, Mass. He will be pleased to call on his friends with a full line of sample Watches, Diamonds, etc. Cash or installments. Telephone 2003-1.

## BOARD OF POLICE

Heard Applications for Retirement on Pension

The board of police met in special session this morning and Keoper Jas. A. McQuade and Patrolmen George W. Marshall and Henry F. Quinn, who have petitioned to be retired and placed on the pension roll, appeared before the members and stated their reasons for applying for pension.

Cornack McIntee, a keeper at the police station, who also applied for a pension, was unable to be present owing to the fact that he is confined to his bed.

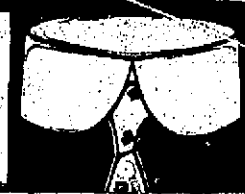
Open an account with The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Interest begins April 2d.

### STAR THEATRE

Tonight Mr. Gonsoulous will escape from a murderer's chair locked and charged with electricity at the Star theatre. He amazed hundreds of people last evening by escaping from straight jackets and Mexican stocks in plain view of the spectators. The biograph talking picture, "The Newlyweds" is very funny. The show is one of the best in Lowell and the admission of five cents includes a seat.

## Concord

with the handy Ara-Notch



## Evanston

with the usual buttonhole

THE NEW SUMMER

## ARROW COLLAR

High enough to look well—low enough to feel well. Plenty of room for tie to slide in.

15 cents—2 for 25 cents

CLUETT, PEABODY & CO., Troy, N. Y.

ARROW CUFFS, 25 Cents

### MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

March 30—Joseph Gelina, (widowed), 38, printer, 81 School street, Chicopee, Mass., and Clarinda Lajple, (widowed), 28, at home, 499 Moody street.

Jose Francisco Gil, 25, operative, 3 Union street and Luisa Romiers, 18, operative, same address.

March 31—Matenszas Dimsa, 37, assistant janitor, 50 Lee street, and Stan-

islaw Gulbickintie, 20, operative, 85 Gorham street.

Telephore Dufrene, 36, barber, 56 Austin street and Roso Arcand, 35, operative, 23 Pawtucket street.

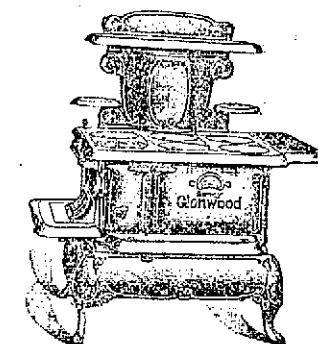
George N. Perrault, Jr., 26, brick layer, 120 Dallon street, and Maria Anna Dionne, 21, operative, 18 Beaulieu street.

April 1—Ernest A. Pablow, 23, carpenter, 14 Front street, and Sadie M. Gray, 19, operative, 34 Stanley street.



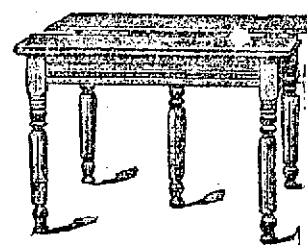
NEVER before in the history of our city have such inducements been offered to the public to furnish a pretty four room flat comprising the following:

### For Kitchen



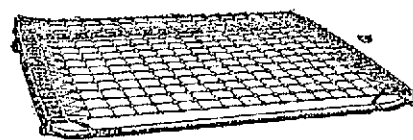
One Glenwood Range with high shelf.  
Two Kitchen Chairs.  
One Kitchen Table.  
Two Curtains.

### For Dining Room



One 6-Foot Dining Table.  
Six Cane Seat Dining Chairs.  
One G. O. Sideboard to match.

### For Chamber



One Brass Trimmed Iron Bed.  
One National Spring.  
One Mattress.

### For Parlor

One 5-Piece Parlor Suit.  
One Art Square.  
Two Pairs Lace Curtains.

Regular Price for Above Furnishings \$135. Sale Price

**\$86.75 for Entire Outfit**

DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR BEAUTIFUL WINDOW DISPLAY.

Foods Delivered With Our Powerful Auto Truck.

**M. F. GOOKIN CO.**

35 Market Street

OPPOSITE POLICE STATION

## Not One, Not a Dozen, But HUNDREDS

of new customers opened accounts with us last week. Must be something in our way of giving credit. There is—it's this team:

Honest Credit, Reasonable Prices and

## GOOD MERCHANDISE

### Men's Suits

\$12.50 to \$25

At each price an assortment that any store might envy.

### Young Men's Suits

\$10 to \$18.50

Smart, snappy, clever clothes, in fabrics that look and wear well.

### Boys' Suits

\$2.50 to \$5.50

That compare with any strictly cash store. Try them out—they'll bear it any so.

### Ladies' Suits

\$12.50 to \$35

Serges, French Serges, novelty fabrics in light colors, and navy and black.

### Suits For Girls

\$10 to \$15

That fit most times without alteration—navy, black and light colors.

### Serge Coats, \$18.50

Cravenotted and can be used as Rain-coats, yet are Dress Coats in every respect.

### Covert Coats, \$12.50

Long 54-inch garments with swell Tuxedo collar.

**Caesar Misch Store**  
ALEXANDER STRAUSS, PROP.

220 CENTRAL STREET



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## LATEST

## A MIGHTY GATHERING

Will Confront President Tuttle  
of B. & M. R. R.

For Better Freight Facilities for  
Lowell and Merrimack Valley  
—Secretary John A. McKenna  
Arranges for a Mammoth Con-  
ference to Be Held Next  
Thursday

The business and commercial interests of the Merrimack Valley and the great city of Boston will move en masse against the Boston and Maine railroad next Thursday afternoon when a demand will be made by the combined interests for a betterment of the freight and shipping facilities or service of the Boston and Maine railroad.

The movement was started some time ago by the Lowell board of trade, and it will be recalled that last Monday a meeting of the representatives of the boards of trades and Merchants' association of all the cities of the Merrimack Valley was held in the American House in this city at which the matter was thoroughly discussed by experts and a plan of campaign adopted.

Through the efforts of Secretary John A. McKenna of the local board of trade an appointment was made with Lucius Tuttle of the Boston and Maine for a conference with him at his office next Thursday afternoon, and Secretary McKenna will make it a point that there will be an impressive representation of business men at that conference, for he has not only provided that all who attended the recent conference held in Lowell will be on hand, but he has sent requests to all the commercial organizations of Boston, such as the Chamber of Commerce, the Hardware Dealers' association and several other kindred bodies, asking them to send representatives to the conference. A meeting of the conferees will be held in Boston to formulate plans on Thursday prior to the meeting with Mr. Tuttle.

## TO FIGHT PICKETING SYSTEM

HALIFAX, N. S., April 1.—The strike of the United Mine Workers of America at the Dominion Coal Co.'s mines last summer came before the supreme court today. The company applied for an injunction to restrain 71 men from watching places where the plaintiff does business for the purpose of endeavoring by unlawful means to induce workmen to join the strike. The proceedings are aimed against the picketing system maintained by the United Mine Workers. The hearing on the application occupied most of the day.

## SCALP TORN OFF JIMMY GARDNER

Lynn Women May Not  
Recover

LYNN, April 1.—Mrs. Sarah Brown's scalp was completely torn off last night when her hair caught in the belt attached to a winding machine which she operated in building 63 at the River works plant of the general electric company. Mrs. Brown, who is a widow and lives at 11 Winthrop street court, was cleaning beneath the winding machine at the time.

More than 50 women employed in the department were preparing to quit work for the day when the accident occurred, and the screams of the injured woman completely unnerved several of the other employees. Several hurried to her assistance and did their best to stay the flow of blood.

A police ambulance reached the factory just as Dr. Manix arrived and she was hurried to the Lynn hospital. There it was said that her condition was very serious and that she might not recover.

Mrs. Brown is a middle-aged woman who is well-known in the Pine Hill district, where she has resided for several years with her son, Fred W. Brown, a page at the state house.

Matched Against Frank  
Klaus at Armory Club

Jimmy Gardner has been matched against Frank Klaus, the Pittsburgh 154 pound man who is making them all sit up and take notice.

Klaus won from Frank Matel at the Armory club last Tuesday evening and the management lost no time in matching him against Gardner, and the bout will take place on Tuesday, April 12th.

Gardner left for Boston today to train at the Armory club for his coming bout and he has engaged as his training partners, Bill McKinnon, his old time opponent, Kid Goodman and Young Donahue.

But to take care of his training quarters, but as Bill has recently accepted the position as rubber and bath expert at the local Turkish bath he couldn't give the time to training Jimmy.

COL. ROOSEVELT  
TO MEET WELL KNOWN GERMAN  
HUNTERS

BERLIN, April 1.—Mr. Roosevelt has accepted an invitation to a luncheon arranged by Joseph Grow, second secretary of the embassy, to permit the former president to meet some of the well known German hunters.

DR. FOSTER DEAD  
NEW HAVEN, April 1.—Dr. J. P. Foster, head of the state tuberculosis commission and who was regarded as an authority on the treatment of tuberculosis, died at his home here today of pneumonia after a brief illness. He was about 65 years of age and was graduated from Yale college in 1869 and from Yale medical school in 1872.

FIRE ON DUMP  
An alarm from box 249 at 1:11 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a fire on the dump at the foot of Stackpole street.

## TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	74 1/2	73 3/4	74 1/2
Am Car & Pn	62 1/2	62 1/2	63
Am Cot Oil	48 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2
Am Locomo	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Am Smelt & R	81 1/2	80 3/4	80 3/4
Am Sugar Rfn	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Amex	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Arcticon	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Br Rwy Tran	77 1/2	76 3/4	76 3/4
Canadian Pac	181 1/2	181 1/2	181 1/2
Cent Leather	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Ches & Ohio	85	85	85
Chl & Gt W	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Col Fuel	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Consol Gas	141 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/2
Del & Hud	172 1/2	172 1/2	172 1/2
Dis Secur Co	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Erie	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Gen Elec	150	149 3/4	149 3/4
Gen Sinc	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2
Gr North pf	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Int Met pf	58 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Int Paper	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
In S Pump Co	36	36	36
Kan City S Co	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
K City So pf	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Kan & Texas	41 1/2	40 3/4	40 3/4
Missouri Pa	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
N Y Central	122 1/2	121 3/4	121 3/4
N Am Co	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
N W	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
North Pac	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2
Ont & West	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Pennsylvania	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Pressed Steel	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pullman Co	191 1/2	191 1/2	191 1/2
Reading	166 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Rep Iron & S	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Rock Is	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
S. P. Pac	141 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/2
S. P. Pac pf	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Southern Ry	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Texas Pac	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Third Ave	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Union Pacific	184 1/2	184 1/2	184 1/2
Union Pac pf	184 1/2	184 1/2	184 1/2
U S Rub	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
U S Rub pf	114 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
U S Steel	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
U S Steel pf	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
U S Steel ss	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Union Copper	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
West R R	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Westinghouse	64	63 3/4	63 3/4

BOSTON CURRENCY MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	74 1/2	73 3/4	74 1/2
Am Car & Pn	62 1/2	62 1/2	63
Am Cot Oil	48 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2
Am Locomo	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Am Smelt & R	81 1/2	80 3/4	80 3/4
Am Sugar Rfn	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Amex	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Arcticon	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Br Rwy Tran	77 1/2	76 3/4	76 3/4
Canadian Pac	181 1/2	181 1/2	181 1/2
Cent Leather	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
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BOSTON, April 1.—Although trading was very dull and along narrow lines local copper had a firmer tendency and by noon the entire list had gained a point over yesterday's close. Lake stocks were again prominent and Lake Copper advanced to 66.

## KAISER BLAMED FIRE IN SCHOOL

For Relation Between  
U. S. and Japan

PARIS, April 1.—The memoirs of Vice Admiral Fournier, commander of the Mediterranean squadron of the French navy, in which he discusses particularly the possibility of a war between the United States and Japan and the resultant danger of dragging all Europe into a terrific conflict, were issued in book form last night. The memoirs have caused something of a sensation in political and diplomatic circles.

Admiral Fournier gives the star role on the stage of international politics to the German emperor. Not only in Europe, says the writer, is the emperor trying desperately to break the league of powers against him, but also he is indirectly an influential factor in the relations between the United States and Japan.

LABORERS ON STRIKE

CAMBRIDGE, April 1.—Five hundred laborers who have been working in the Harvard square end of the Cambridge subway refused to go back to work when the whistle blew at 1 o'clock today and announced that they were out on strike. The men are seeking a nine hour day and a \$2 a day wage. They have been working 10 hours for \$1.50, of which they are obliged to spend five cents for insurance.

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## STOCK MARKET

CLOSED SEMI-STAGNANT THIS AFTERNOON

Prices Drifted Listlessly On Merely  
Nominal Dealings—Stock Island Preferred Made An Advance

of orders on hand gave the opening stock market a brief semblance of activity. Dealings lapsed into dullness within a few minutes. Price changes were narrow and irregular. New York Central rose 1 and Interborough-Met. pf. 3/4.

Speculation became firm in tone but there was not much increase in the volume of business, the buying running pretty generally to a few of the best known stocks. Consolidated Gas moved up 2 points and St. Paul, Texas & Pacific, Brooklyn Transit, Am. Car and Westinghouse Electric 1.

The beginning of gold exports to London was followed by a sagging of prices which placed the average level below last night. Possibility was discussed of a supreme court decision in the Am. Tobacco case on Monday. The effect was to repress activity. Bonds were irregular.

When the selling orders had been cleaned up the market became steadier but did not advance much above yesterday's closing. Pennsylvania was conspicuously firm.

There was a renewed decline in prices in the late session which did not amount to much except for Pennsylvania which reversed its early course and fell back a point.

The market closed semi-stagnant. Prices drifted listlessly on merely nominal dealings. Rock Island pf. advanced 1/4 and Chicago, Gt. Western pf. 1. Nat'l Bds. sold at a decline of 3/4.

Business Conditions

NEW YORK, April 1.—Despatches to R. G. Dun & Co. indicate that business as a whole reflects steady progress although further curtailment of production by the cotton mills is an unfavorable feature. Weather conditions at Boston favor the distribution of seasonal merchandise and jobbing of goods trade gradually improves although buying is still conservative. Cotton goods and freshfarms are unsettled and manufacturers continue to reduce operations while reports from the woolen industry are not encouraging.

Bank clearings this week at all leading cities of the United States amounted to \$2,566,419,772, an increase of 1.3 per cent. compared with last year.

Spot Cotton

NEW YORK, April 1.—Cotton spot closed quiet, 15 points decline. Middling upland 14.95; Middling Gulf 15.20. Sales 400 bales.

## FIRE IN SCHOOL

The Pupils Marched Out  
in Safety

WAKEFIELD, April 1.—So well had Miss Abbie Gardner, the principal of the Hamilton street school, drilled her scholars that when a fire broke out in the basement today the entire school of 300 marched out as if in practice.

Miss Gardner was the last to leave the building which was rapidly filling with smoke but the department made short work of a large pile of rubbish fire in the basement.

M. E. CONFERENCE

TILTON, N. H., April 1.—After the customary devotional service led by Bishop Quayle the New Hampshire Methodist Episcopal conference today took up a number of routine matters and had laid before it the list of candidates who will be ordained ministers and deacons on Sunday. There were four candidates from other conferences. These four candidates will return after their ordination to their home districts. Four young men were admitted to full membership, J. B. Leach, G. H. Shattuck, E. B. Young, and J. H. Craig and they will be ordained deacons.

DEATH SENTENCE

WAS IMPOSED ON 17-YEAR OLD BOY

NEW YORK, April 1.—Death in the electric chair during the week beginning May 9 was the sentence imposed today upon Jajama Matos, the 17-year-old boy who shot and killed Selig Korn, a banker during a raid on the private bank of Herman & Selig Korn company in Brooklyn last January.

Matos' two accomplices in the fatal raid pleaded guilty to first degree manslaughter. They were Ivan Wasylow and Victor J. Danowitz. Each was given an indeterminate sentence of from 10 to 20 years in Sing Sing prison.

MINISTERS TRANSFERRED

ATTLEBORO, April 1.—Three transfers of ministers were announced at the opening of the New England southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here today.

Rev. E. C. Stanley was transferred from Maine and Rev. John Martin from Vermont to this conference and Rev. Walter Cook from this conference to the Maine southern. A. C. Justice was admitted to full membership and given a long sermon of instruction by Bishop Neely.

Bishop Hamilton made an earnest plea for the Porto Rican board and also for the East Greenwich academy and the conference pledged \$1700 for the latter.

All roads to Associate, Sat. night.

TO VOTE ON STRIKE

CLEVELAND, O., April 1.—Trainmen and conductors employed on the Lake Erie & Western railroad whose wage advance demands were rejected by General Manager Moon yesterday, today began preparations for voting upon the proposition of striking if the company does not accede. The employees' committee sent out the ballots today.

NEW BATTLESHIPS

PARIS, April 1.—The chamber of deputies today voted to lay down two battleships in the present year designed to equal the latest type added to the navies of Great Britain and Germany.

## POLICE TAKE HAND

In the Strike of the Louisville  
Tobacco Workers

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—Today the hand of the police was shown in the tobacco strike situation when several hundred strikers marched to the big plug factory of the American Tobacco Co. at 103th street and Broadway and attempted to draw out the employees. The police used their clubs frequently and in a short time had cleared the streets surrounding the factory.

About 3200 women stemmers are on strike, four factories are closed and others crippled and it is expected today 4500 women employed in the plug-making and cigar departments will quit in sympathy.

The strikers demand \$3 a hundred pounds for stemming the inferior leaf, \$2.50 a hundred for stemming the better grade and a commission of ten cents on the dollar and they ask further that the sanitary conditions at the factories be improved and that the scales on which the tobacco is weighed be to them be inspected by authorized persons and accurately adjusted.

The grievances of the strikers have been submitted to the general officers at the company in New York.

## THE CITY COUNCIL GOES TO NEWARK

Legislated Itself Out of  
Office

Bob Canley Signs With  
Eastern League

LYNN, April 1.—The Lynn city council last night practically legislated itself out of existence by accepting the report presented a few days ago by the joint committee of charter revision. The report, which will now go before the legislature's committee on cities, provides for the replacement of the present bicameral city council of 15 members by a single chamber of 15 members.

When the Kansas City team refused to pay the price for Canley demanded by the Philadelphia team Canley reverted back to the Philadelphia. He would not have gone to the western city under any circumstances as they refused to pay him what he wanted. A week ago Canley wired Canley asking him what terms he would play for and Bob replied without delay. Last evening he received a telegram to report at Newark by Sunday that his terms and those of the Philadelphia team had been accepted by Newark. The Newark team is on its way back from its training quarters in the south and Bob will meet the members on their return to the home city. It's a good bet that Canley will be back in the Philadelphia outfield before the close of the coming season.

## THE FIRE DEPT.

Had 91 Calls During the  
Month of March

The local fire department responded to 91 alarms of fire during the month of March just ended, this being the greatest number of alarms for the month of March in any year since the organization of the department. The majority of the alarms were for grass fires.

In years past the grass fires have occurred in April, but this year owing to the warm and dry weather the fires occurred in March.

## ATTACK BY MOB

WAS MADE ON THE PERUVIAN  
LEGATION

BOGOTA, Colombia, April 1.—A mob attacked and forced an entrance into the Peruvian legation yesterday. The police were promptly on the scene and prevented serious damage being done. The rioting was provoked through the posting about the city of copies of a telegram addressed to Colombians by President Alfaro of Ecuador in which the executive expressed the hope that Ecuadorians and Colombians would stand together in defense of the frontiers of the old fatherland.

## CALL TO BANKS

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business, March 29.

## "WHITE SLAVE" BILL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., The house today passed the "white slave" bill providing that no person in the state will be allowed to conduct a disorderly house and that no disorderly woman can be brought into the state. This bill has not been passed upon by the senate as yet.

## TO GET WAGE INCREASE

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 1.—The miners of the 11th district will have little difficulty in obtaining a wage increase of five cents a ton announced today. Officials of the operators' association said the increase probably would be granted next Wednesday when the mine owners and miners will hold a joint conference here.

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Trimmed Dressed Hats, turbans and toques.

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We are showing an immense variety of hats trimmed with flowers at prices ranging within the limits of moderate pocketbooks, \$3.98 and \$4.98

Ready-to-Wear Hats, large and small, .98c to \$4.98

Children's Trimmed Hats, \$1.98 to \$6.98

Children's Untrimmed Hats and ready-to-wear hats, 98c to \$3.98

Untrimmed Hats, .98c, \$1.48, \$1.98 to \$12.50

Flowers and Foliage, .25c, 37c and 48c

Chantecler Birds and Wings at the lowest prices.

All the Latest Styles in mourning hats and veils at the lowest prices.

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10c Cigar

A gentleman's snail. Now outcalls all his competitors. Factory, Manchester, N. H.

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SECOND FLOOR

# STRIKE DECLARED

## Masters, Mates and Pilots Quit Their Positions

NEW YORK, April 1.—A white light swung at midnight from the roof of the Battery Park building, on the southernmost tip of the island of Manhattan, and two blasts—one long and one short—from the whistle of a chartered tug, notified the masters and pilots of New York harbor that a strike of the American Association of Masters, Mates and Pilots is on this morning against four trunk lines, and one manufacturing company operating marine freight services.

On acknowledging the signal from aloft, the tug immediately left to notify the men at their various stations that negotiations had failed and that the resignations they had sent in previously became immediately effective.

About 150 pilots, as many masters and half that number of tugs are involved in the walkout. In addition to the railroads, involved the pilots and masters employed by Arbuckle Bros. Sugar Refinery, which owns a small fleet of tugboats of its own, have also walked out. Four hundred cooks, firemen and deck hands, less certain of their ground, discussed the situation last night and decided to hold their jobs for the present. In a statement issued last night the companies said that they had received applications for work from 4000 men in Albany, Boston and this city, and their boats would run as usual.

### FUNERALS

**BASSETT**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Hannah Bassett took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her home 451 Adams street and was largely attended by the sorrowing relatives and friends including many members of the Holy Rosary society of St. Patrick's church. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Joseph Curran. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson sang the Gregorian mass and the soloists were sustained by Miss Alice E. Murphy and Andrew McCarthy, Mr. John-

son presiding at the organ. Among the floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family and a large standing cross inscribed "Grandma" from the grandchildren. The bearers were John T. Masterson, James J. Shea, John Hallisey, Patrick Thomas, Martin Moran and John McCarthy. At the grave Father Curran read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**WOOD**—The funeral of Charles S. Wood took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the rooms of C. H. Molloy & Sons, Market street. Rev. A.

### How to Stop Drinking

It was formerly customary for the habitual drinker to take the pledge regularly, sometimes once a year, and sometimes in every fit of remorse that followed his debauches, and then—break it.

But now it is gradually dawning on the world that pledges do not stop drunkenness. The nervous system of the habitual drinker is diseased, and he must have treatment that will cure this condition. Orlene is sold under a positive guarantee to cure the drink habit, or the money will be refunded. Can be given secretly.

Write for free booklet on the Cure of Alcoholism to the Orlene Company, Orlene Building, Washington, D. C. Mailed sealed. Orlene costs but \$1 per box. Sold in this city by Eker-Jaynes Drug Co., 121-123 Merrimack st.

**Frederic Dunne**, pastor of the Highland Congregational church, officiated. The bearers were Fred M. Perkins, D. D. Wilder, B. D. Hill and E. E. Sauerborn, members of Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, K. of P. Among the floral offerings were the following: Pillow, inscribed "Father," from sons of deceased; triangle, inscribed "P. C. B.," from Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, K. of P.; spray, Mrs. and Miss Daly, and spray, from wife of deceased. Burial was in the Edison cemetery.

**SMITH**—The funeral of George L. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 68 A street. Rev. J. C. Wilson, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church, officiated. The bearers were Edward and Waldo Wood. The floral offerings included: Pillow, inscribed "Daddy," from mother; basket of flowers, Olive Messer, Mrs. Barnard, Hollis and Frank Sawyer, Arthur Flanders, Mrs. Prindle, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Brunette, Ralph Green and Sidney and Forrest Varney; spray of pinks, Bertrand Smith; spray of pinks, Ralph and Henry Erickson; spray of pinks, Miss Annie Saunders and Mr. Alpha Norris; spray of pinks and sweet peas, Mrs. B. Warren and Mabel; pillow of roses, Aunt Annie and Sadie; spray of pinks, grandparents; spray Harry and Fredrick Allen; spray of pinks, George McManus; wreath of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Flowers; spray of red pinks, a friend; spray of lilies, J. B. Townsend and family; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byam and Miss Nettie Byam; spray of pinks, Mrs. Alexander. Burial was in the family lot in South Chelmsford, under the direction of J. A. Weinbeck.

**SULLIVAN**—The funeral of John Sullivan took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Peter H. Savage. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

**FOSTER**—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Foster took place this morning from her home, 148 Hudson street, at 8:30 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. O'Brien. The choir, under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly sang the Gregorian mass. The bearers were Messrs. James McCallum, William Hennessey, John J. Winters and James McGlynn. Burial was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where Rev. Fr. O'Brien read the committal services at the grave. Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott had charge.

**LANGAN**—The funeral of George Langan aged nine months, child of Patrick and Mary Langan, took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the parents' residence, 110 Chestnut street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Rogers. On account of the cause of death, measles, the funeral was private.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**WILLIAMSON**—The funeral of the late Dora E. Williamson will take place on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 148 South street. Funeral mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons in charge.

**GUILFOYLE**—The funeral of the late Susan Guilfoyle will take place on Monday morning. Solemn high mass of requiem will be held at St. Peter's church. The time of services will be announced later. Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons.

**HARDE**—Died, in this city, yesterday, at her home, 9 Waterford street, Mrs. Martha Harde, aged 66 years and 8 months. The funeral services will be held at her home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private.

**SHORE**—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Shore will take place from the home, 151 Humphrey street, Monday morning at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John F. Rogers.

**TIERNEY**—The funeral of Mary A. Tierney will take place tomorrow morning at 8:30 from her late home, and there will be a funeral mass at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker Molloy & Sons in charge.

**BURNS**—The funeral of Frederick J. Burns will take place at 8 o'clock Monday morning from the family residence, 329 Chestnut street. Mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Peter H. Savage, undertaker.

**ALDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS**  
**ROCHESTER, April 1.**—The nomination of George W. Aldridge at the republican convention tomorrow for the vacancy in the 32d congressional district caused by the death of James Brock Perkins is assured as the result of the primaries which closed last night. Aldridge delegates were opposed in only two wards in the city and in the contested wards the organization tickets were carried by substantial pluralities.

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In the selection of this great collection of suits we had two purposes in view. First, we were determined that these suits should be the best values ever offered in Lowell at the price; and Second, that the number of styles and effects to select from should not be limited. We are pleased to state that in both respects the offerings are very superior.

### This Morning We Placed On Sale a New York Manufacturer's Sample Line of Suits for Small Women at a Reduction of One-Third

This lot consists of Diagonals, Cheviots, Brilliantines and Broadcloths. These suits are strictly tailored and made to sell from \$15.00 to \$19.50. Your choice of them, **\$10.50**

#### See Our Tailored Suits at \$19.75

Tailor made Suits in fancy mixtures and plain serges, satin lined coats, new pleated skirts.

#### Tailored Suits at \$25.00

Handsome tailor made Suits in embroidered French serge in the new pastel shades, fancy worsteds and stunning black and white checks in strictly tailored and the new Russian blouse effects, 32x34 inch coats, Skinner satin, messaline and penon-de-cygne lined, skirts in the new pleated and tunic effects.

#### Tailored Suits at \$22.50

Tailor made Suits in fine French serges, diagonals and new sharkskin material, black and all the new spring colors, latest cut satin lined coats and newest pleated skirts.

#### New Tailored Suits and Coats for Large Women \$16.50 to \$25.00

Extra showing of tailor made Suits for large women in serges, worsteds and gray mixtures, made with special measures and cut in the newest styles for stout people, bust measures from 35 to 43.

Very Exclusive Styles in Fine Tailor Made Suits From ..... \$27.50 to \$47.50

### The Top Coat is Now on the Top Crest of Favor

We show the "La Vogue" Coats in all styles and prices. They fit and keep their shape. Priced from ..... \$10.98 to \$18.50

We carry a splendid line of Misses' Long Coats, 14, 16, 18 and 20 year sizes, including fancy English mixtures, new stripe covers, wide wale diagonals and serges, semi-fitted bucks, inlaid shawl collars and cuffs. Prices from ..... \$9.98 to \$18.50

### The Children's Dept. Has Something Interesting to Tell

Whenever you want an inexpensive thing or an expensive thing for little money, don't fail to visit our Children's Department. (Second Floor.)

Children's Broadcloth Coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, colors red and navy, velvet collar and braid trimmed, \$2.98 value. .... \$1.98

Children's Coats, both lined and unlined, tailor made collar with pockets. One style braid trimmed collar and cuffs, in navy, red, reseda, green and Copenhagen. These coats would be cheap at \$3.49. Today your choice. .... \$2.25

There is only one way in which you can appreciate how truly unusual these White Dresses are in fineness of fabric, stitching and trimming, and that is by coming in and studying their beauty. You will be well repaid, even if you care not to buy at once.

### The Greatest Glove Business in Lowell

Is done here. We guarantee our Gloves. We carry the popular kinds and styles. All our Kid Gloves are fresh, soft skins. There isn't an old Glove in our stock.

Fownes' Real French Kid Gloves, black embroidered with white and white embroidered with black. Every pair guaranteed and fitted, \$1.50 and \$2 a pair

"Lanark," a fine quality Kid Glove in all the latest spring shades, including tans, browns, grays, raisin, taupe, wistaria, catwaba, green, champagne, red, also black and white at .... \$1.00 pair

"The Chantier" Two-Clasp Kid Glove, all colors, Paris point embroidered backs, \$1.25 value ..... 79c pair

Children's Coats, in checks and stripes, a large assortment, \$3.00 to \$6.49

Children's Dresses, Gingham and Percales, made in the latest fashion. Sizes 6 to 14 years ..... \$1.25

Children's Colored Dress Gingham and Percales, 2 to 6 years, \$1.25

White Dresses for Graduation, Confirmation and First Communion, \$2.49 to \$15.00

Women's Fine Milanese Lisle Thread Gloves, all shades, also Chamoisette Gloves ..... 25c to 59c pair

## The Gilbride Co. On the Corner

## ARRESTED IN NASHUA

## Lowell Men Charged With Breaking and Entering

Henry Regals and Albert Roy, two the police in this city and Inspector young men, residents of this city, were charged with breaking and entering in Nashua, N. H., early this morning by Police Officers Rogers and Dettors.

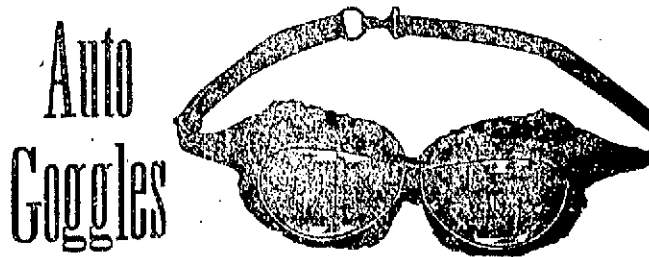
It is alleged that they entered a barn, it is charged. They entered Nashua early this morning and while trying to dispose of the outfit were arrested by Officers Rogers and Dettors.

Word was immediately telephoned to Nashua and

while passing through Hudson, N. H., stole two bags of phosphate from a barn, it is charged.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**McLEAN NOT REINSTATED**  
CINCINNATI, April 1.—President Garry Herrmann of the Cincinnati Nationals today said that Harry McLean, the suspended catcher of the local team, had not been reinstated. Herrmann declared he had done nothing in the case since he accepted McLean's resignation.



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# HUSBAND VS. WIFE

## Arguments in the Hopner Equity Case Made Today

The arguments in the hotly-contested case of Julius Hopner vs. Sadie and Carrie Hopner, his wife and daughter, in a bill of equity brought by the husband to recover money and property held by his wife and daughter, which he alleges are his, were heard before C. H. Conant as master at the court house this morning.

Mr. Donahue, who represents the respondents, made the first argument. "In the ordinary case of man and wife," he said, "the wife does the work at home while the man goes forth and is the earner. But in the case of the Hopners conditions were entirely different. When the Hopners joined their fortunes in life's journey, the wife was an earner and a worker and had money. She continued to work and earn throughout her married life. She came to this country she had considerable money and goods which she gave to her husband."

Mr. Hopner showed on the witness stand that he is a man of keen intellect. There is no evidence that Hopner ever raised any question as to his wife's right to work and keep the money she earned. The money she earned by keeping boarders was her own money. The men who boarded with her bought their own provisions and paid her for their cooking and care. She was a thrifty woman and she accumulated money all the time and the trouble began when the property was bought in McIntire street. Hopner claimed that he earned and gave his wife a substantial amount of money, while she claims he could hardly support himself. The property was bought in the name of both and Hopner made no objection. In the establishment of the baths, Mr. Hopner was again the leading spirit. She did the work and collected the money and it was started with her money. After the property was purchased in Haverhill Hopner lived there, returning home only once a week while Mrs. Hopner remained in Lowell working all the time and earning and accumulating money. She paid the mortgage on the Lowell property from her earnings. When their troubles began they went first to the Rabbi for advice and he advised them to go to a lawyer. Her idea was to put Mr. Hopner in full possession of the Haverhill property and Mrs. Hopner in full possession of

the Lowell property and after the exchange of the deeds it is found that the deed of the Haverhill property was recorded while the deed to the Lowell property after the transfer suddenly disappeared without being recorded. Despite the advice of the Jewish law and the law of the land, Hopner has secreted this deed in his endeavor to get his wife's property away from her. Several witnesses showed that Hopner made no objection when the transfer was made. Mrs. Hopner had been working hard, sometimes getting \$50 a week as a midwife. Her life is a remarkable story of what a hard working, thrifty woman can do in this country. Starting to work for a living when she was but 10 years of age, coming here a young woman and showing an earning capacity of from \$30 to \$50 per week as she has done at times. Her daughter although a school girl had money, for her brother was earning \$30 a week and sending money home to his sister who saved it as she did from the allowance given her by her mother. She saved \$500 and put it into property. It is hers, not her father's. In life's battle in the hunger for the accumulation of money affection often flies out the door and such is the most unfortunate feature of this case.

At the conclusion of Mr. Donahue's argument Lawyer Cohen for the petitioner produced the deeds that had been missing in the case.

Lawyer Cohen for Mr. Hopner in opening stated that his client was in an unfortunate position being indigent and unable to meet the expense of a trial such as the case should warrant. Mr. Donahue interrupted with the statement that the Haverhill property was in Mr. Hopner's name.

Mr. Cohen did not reply, but continued his argument. He referred to the difficulty of establishing a trust between husband and wife, and stated that he would do it by the acts and conversations with others by the principals and the actions of others in their presence. If there is any woman who ought to be compelled to support Hopner, it is Mrs. Hopner for she is responsible for his physical condition and she knows it. The idea that Mrs. Hopner had money when she came to this country, he said, is ridiculous, as her husband sent her the tickets and money with which to get here. Hopner, he says knows no more about the customs of this country than when he came here and he handed over his money to her under the mistaken belief that he could have it back whenever he wanted it, "and I maintain," said Mr. Cohen, "that she encouraged him by intimating that he could get it back. This is the crucial point in this case. From Mrs. Hopner's admissions on the witness stand I claim she believed that he believed he could take that money any time that he wanted. Mr. Cohen finished shortly before 1 o'clock and no decision was given, as Mr. Conant, the master, must report the facts and his finding to the superior court, in a summary session before a decision is entered.

### DEATHS

**CROWE**—Cornelius Crowe, aged 70 years, one of the older and best known residents of Centerville, and a devout attendant of St. Michael's church, died this morning at his home, 75 Coburn street. Deceased, who had not been enjoying good health of late, although his condition was not regarded as serious, passed away suddenly. He leaves a wife and three sons, Cornelius, John and Thomas Crowe.

**GUILFOYLE**—Mrs. Susan Guilfoyle, aged 75 years, died this morning at her home, 45 Union street. The deceased has been a resident of Lowell for a number of years and a most devoted member of St. Peter's parish, she being one of the oldest parishioners. She was of a kind and loving disposition, a true Christian, and was beloved by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Her death will be mourned by a wide circle of friends. She leaves a daughter Miss Mary J. Guilfoyle and a son Thomas Guilfoyle of Colorado. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

**TIERNEX**—Mary A. Tierney died last night at her late home, 5 Conlon's court off Fayette street, aged 75 years. She is survived by one sister.

**SHORE**—Mrs. Sarah Shore, aged 50 years, wife of Zachariah Shore, died early last night at her home, 151 Humphrey street. The deceased was a well known and highly respected resident of Centerville and a devout member of St. Michael's church. She was a loving wife and a kind and attentive mother. Her beautiful disposition made her many friends and she was held in high esteem by all her acquaintances. Of late she had been ill, but was a patient sufferer, bearing her sufferings with Christian fortitude.

She leaves to mourn her loss beside her husband, four sons, James A., Francis T., William T. and Raymond, and one daughter, Mary E. all of this city, and three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Sheldon, Mrs. Mary A. McMillen of Syracuse, N. Y., and Mrs. Thomas O'Toole of Brooklyn, N. Y.

**GOUCHER**—Rev. Wm. G. Goucher, for many years a Baptist minister and for something a resident of this city, died last night at his home, 220 Baldwin street. His age was 82 years, 11 months and 25 days. He suffered from a shock about 10 days ago and from this he never recovered.

Rev. Mr. Goucher was born in New-Alex, Nova Scotia, and was educated in Acadia college. His first pastorate was in Yarmouth. Later he came to the United States and occupied pulpits in various places in Vermont and in Andover and Southwick, Mass. It was in Southwick that he did his final act of worship. While he had not had a church in Lowell he had on several occasions occupied as a supply preacher the pulpits of the Branch Street tabernacle and the Fifth Street church.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. N. C. Saunders and Miss Ida M. Goucher of this city, and Mrs. Fred Shegoborn of Richmond, Vt., and one brother, James Goucher, who lives in Nova Scotia.

**ROSCA**—Andrew B. Rosca, aged 68 years, died yesterday at his home, 66

Whitney avenue. He leaves a wife, one daughter, Mrs. Edith Parkhurst of Chelmsford, and one grandson, Elliot King Parkhurst. Mr. Rosca had a large circle of friends, formed during a long residence in this city. He was for many years an overseer in the Massachusetts mills, but retired a few years ago and moved to Chelmsford. He soon returned to Lowell, however, and some five years ago bought the grocery store at the corner of Bridge and Eighteenth streets. Mr. Rosca was a member of the common council from ward 1 in

1897-8 and was also a member of the Masons, Lowell lodge, K. of P., of which he was for many years the treasurer and of Centralville lodge of Odd Fellows.

**HARDIE**—Mrs. Martha Hardie, a well known member of the High Street Congregational church, died last night at her home, 9 Waterford street. Her age was 60 years and eight months. She was the widow of the late George H. Hardie. She is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Emmett Winters of Methuen, Mrs. Joe Bissell of Lawrence, and Misses Martha, Anna, Grace and Susan

Hardie; one brother, John Price of Haverhill, and two sisters, Mrs. George Charles and Mrs. Anna Douglass of Lowell.

**SPLAIN**—John B. Splain, aged 52 years, a well known young man, residing in Forge Village, died at his home in that place this morning. He is survived by a mother and three sisters.

**JOY**—Melissa E. Joy, aged 10 mos., 19 days, child of Ethelbert and Annie, died today at their home in Haverhill street, Bismara, Dracut.

**BURNS**—Frederick J. Burns, aged 27 years, died this morning at the family residence, 329 Concord street. He was the son of John and Sarah Burns, and besides his parents he is survived by a sister, Miss Rita Burns, the well known teacher at the Butler school, and one brother, John Burns. Mr. Burns was a well known young resident of Belvidere and also was a prominent member of Lowell Acacia of Eagles. For a number of years he has managed a lunch wagon at the corner of Bridge and Paige streets. Last Tuesday night he was taken ill with a severe cold while attending to his work, and upon arriving home was obliged to take to his bed. Pneumonia developed in a few hours and he passed away early this morning.

**RETURNED TO TEWKSBURY**  
One of the two insane girls who escaped from the state infirmary at Tewksbury the day before yesterday returned to that institution last night and from information received by the officials of the place it is expected that the other girl will voluntarily return before tomorrow.

### NOTICE TO THE READERS OF THE LOWELL SUN!

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Colgate's Shaving Powder	25c	18c
Colgate's Almond Cream Soap, 3 in box	10c	8c cake, 20c box
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet (Large, 3 in box)	19c	24c cake, 69c box
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet (Small, 6 in box)	19c	15c cake, \$1.60 bx.
Colgate's Castile, 4 oz. cake, (12 in box)	10c	7c cake, 75c box
Colgate's Cold Cream (3 in box)	10c	9c cake, 25c box
Colgate's Colton (3 in box)	10c	15c cake, 42c box
Colgate's Oatmeal (3 in box)	10c	9c cake, 25c box
Colgate's Vioris (3 in box)	10c	15c cake, 42c box
Colgate's Imperial Lile (3 in box)	10c	8c cake, 20c box
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Otis Gingham Remnants—In checks and stripes, 32 inches wide and fast colors, for aprons and mill skirts, 12 1/2c value, at...10c yard	Linen Broderie Suiting—Linen finish in plain and stripes, 15c value, at.....10c yard	Children's Rompers—Made of good Khaki cloth and made full size, 50c value, at.....25c
New Lot of these Fine Gingham Remnants—In plain chambray, checks and stripes, 10c value at 8c	Fine Zephyr Gingham Remnants—In new coloring, plaids and checks, 32 inches wide, equal in quality to imported gingham, sold for 25c, only.....12 1/2c yard	Ladies' Lisle Thread Vests—Shirless, seconds of the 25c value, at 12 1/2c each
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Pekin Stripes Suiting—In plain color, only, large assortment of colors, 12 1/2c value, at.....10c yard	Good Bargains in Embroideries—5c quality, at.....5c yard 12 1/2c quality, at.....8c yard 15c quality, at.....10c yard	Ladies' Jersey Vests and Pants—Shirless in regular and extra sizes, low and high neck, long and short sleeves, 25c value, at.....19c each



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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

Prosperity must be crowding the Massachusetts Mfg. company pretty hard since they have to demolish several large and substantial structures, some of them but recently built to give way to new.

## THE MUNICIPAL AUTO.

One of the economic problems of metropolitan cities is to keep down the automobile bills for service in the departments. Where formerly the head of a department used a horse, he has now an automobile.

In some departments an ordinary auto will not suffice as one big enough to carry committees and delegations is required. When a committee decides to visit a neighboring city for the purpose of investigation, the auto if big enough is very handy. It is wonderful though how speedily these municipal autos wear out to be thrown aside for new. This system of transporting city officials and municipal committees is far worse than the mileage book or the occasional junket. It is a perennial expense that the city must meet; but it is only the metropolitan cities that can afford to place such luxuries at the service of their public officials.

## EMPLOYERS' BOYCOTT ILLEGAL.

It is a poor law that does not work both ways, and according to a decision by Judge Fitzgerald of the supreme court of New York, the law that leaves a labor union liable in certain cases for a boycott or conspiracy applies equally to employers who set out to blacklist men because of their membership in unions.

The decision was given in the boycott suit brought by the Enterprise association of steamfitters against the Building Trades Employers' association.

The Builders' association which comprises nearly all the builders in Greater New York, requires a \$1500 bond from each employee as a guarantee that the terms of the agreement shall be strictly carried out. Judge Fitzgerald holds that this bond system is coercive and illegal, but Judge Alton B. Parker asserts that it is legal.

In the case in question the Steamfitters on the expiration of their trade agreement, last December, demanded an increase of wages and better working conditions. Their demands were refused whereupon they went on strike. To assist the master steamfitters in bringing their workmen to terms, the Building Employers' association adopted a resolution binding all its members not to employ any member of the striking Steamfitters' association. One member disobeyed the order at first but was promptly notified in writing to have the Enterprise Steamfitters discharged. This latter order was obeyed and thus it was made impossible for any member of the Steamfitters' association to find employment in Greater New York.

The directors of the Employers' association may be further proceeded against for criminal conspiracy. All this goes to show that the boycott in any form is held to be illegal whether it be conducted by employers or employees.

## THE TENEMENT HOUSE PROBLEM.

The tenement house problem is one of the great questions with this and every other community. Tenements there are that seem to have come down from a remote age, yet in spite of antiquity and lack of modern conveniences they are still occupied, still rented and the owners from sheer force of habit refuse to show any interest in the property beyond paying the taxes and collecting the rents.

The owners of such tenements are cogs upon the wheels of progress, for if they possessed the least spark of enterprise they would long ago have rebuilt the property or at least put it in decent repair. Wherever a property owner of this stamp be found he should be forced to do his duty to the city by putting the tenements into proper sanitary condition and by making such repairs as would make them fairly comfortable and fairly respectable. For the people who live in such tenements there can be only pity at their lack of spirit or else their straitened circumstances. But there is another side to the tenement feature and one that is more difficult to handle. When property owners do improve their tenements, put them in first class condition, so far as sanitation and general accommodation are concerned, the occupants will crowd them to the extent of suffocation and show no regard whatever for the proper care of the property, its neatness, cleanliness or preservation. This crowding in small tenements is a difficult problem to deal with. How will it be stopped?

If the people crowd into a tenement big enough for but half the number what is to be done?

If the building department or the board of health could fix a minimum air space for each individual occupant in tenements, the crowding might be prevented, but although this crowding is one of the worst obstacles to good health yet nothing of this kind has been done or even attempted.

We doubt whether any government authority can impose such rules and nobody but the owner of the property has a right to say just what the maximum number of occupants for any particular tenement shall be.

The property owner does not care to order families out but if there be a proper understanding that anything in the nature of crowding will not be tolerated then the evil might be remedied.

For this reason it would be well if the health authorities enlisted the cooperation of the property owners in order to prevent crowding, to promote cleanliness and the application of the laws of hygiene, all of which is absolutely necessary for the protection of the public against the white plague and other diseases.

The police department is now doing a great deal in the line of health work by calling the attention of owners and occupants to anything objectionable from a sanitary standpoint on their premises. This alone will soon teach those who have been remiss in such matters, that the laws for the protection of the public health are to be enforced just as faithfully as the laws against the commission of crime.

## SEEN AND HEARD

The following story was recently told by Governor Fernald of Maine at a dinner in Boston.

"A Bostonian spent some time last summer at one of the Maine fishing villages, and during his first day's visit met one of the village boys with a fine string of fish. 'How much do you want for them,' asked the Bostonian. 'Thirty cents,' replied the boy. 'Only 30 cents,' queried the man, 'why if you had them in Boston you could get \$3 for them.' 'Yes,' replied the boy, 'and if I had a pail of water in blades I could get a million for it.'"

The following, addressed to and published in the Brooklyn Eagle, expresses something that we have felt quite strongly and about which we have endeavored to conceal our feelings, but now that such feelings are out in heavy print, let us speak our mind reverently to Hood's "Song of the Shirt," and a parody gradually evolved itself in my brain, which I herewith submit for publication, with apologies to Hood.

I see by the store windows that the bosoms are stiffer and the buttons smaller than ever this season. Is there "any balm in Gilead" or must we suffer this affliction to the bitter end? Herewith the rhymed protest:

With finger nails sore to the quick,  
With heavy eyes sleepy, lunk,  
A man sat in dread on the edge of his bed  
And strove to unbutton his shirt,  
Starch! starch! starch!  
And wee buttons, the bane of his life,  
A man feels like a calf as he thinks  
How he'd laugh  
At the open-back waist of his wife.

With a button, each eighth of an inch  
From the collar band down to the girl's  
But the dress stuff is pliant, not stiff  
And defiant.  
Not starched like a board—as his  
shirt.  
Tug! tug! tug!  
Till the finger nails threaten to break;

Till the wrists and the elbow joints ache!

He wet and he softened each hole,  
But the buttons he could not undo;  
Though he tugged and he twisted, the  
buttons resisted.

The holes they just would not slip  
through.  
Hole, and button and band,  
Band, and button, and hole  
Till over the buttons he fell fast  
asleep,  
And in dreams thus delivered his  
soul:

"Oh ye who the shirt fashions set,  
Oh ye who design the men's shirts,  
Cut not linen alone, but you slash to  
the bone  
Fellowmen, and I tell you it hurts.  
Slaves! slaves! slaves!  
Ye slaves of the open-front shirt  
Ere you're driven by starch to un-  
timely graves.  
Rise up and your manhood assert.

"Hark back to the halcyon days,  
Of the old-fashioned open-back  
shirt,  
So easy to put on, with one collar but-  
ton,  
Not a muscle you had to exert,  
Clean! clean! clean!  
Your bosom was fresh and unsmudged,  
Your finger nails all were intact,  
No small buttons excited disgust.

"Haberdashers, I bid you beware,  
Some day men will rise in their  
might,  
And demand you prepare a shirt they  
can wear  
With comfort, if not with delight,  
Starch! starch! starch!  
Starch the bosoms as much as you  
please.

But give us once more the shirt as  
of yore,  
You can button yourself at your  
ease."

—E. K. T.

## 54 HOUR BILL

FIBRE AND FABRIC SEVERELY  
CRITICIZES THE MEASURE

[From Fibre and Fabric]  
The labor leaders inform us that their 54-hour bill is again before the Massachusetts legislature, and such being the case the annual contest will soon begin, regardless of the fact that

the bulk of operatives organized and otherwise have clearly repudiated the action of their leaders, in the matter of the 56-hour law that went into force on January 1, of the present year. It has been a long time since a law went into effect that has created so many petty difficulties, as this same 56-hour law, and it was the operatives that brought on the trouble. In view of the recent strikes, practically of the recent strikes, simply on account of this law which the manu-

facturers must obey, we cannot see how the legislature can entertain a similar measure cutting off two more hours from the laboring man's working week. It would be entirely foreign to any well organized mill corporation to attempt to operate without its women and minor workers, and it would not be good management for the corporation to pay for hours not occupied by its help. Consequently the 56-hour law instead of applying to women and minors, includes a large portion of the help in a mill, and naturally there is a protest. The over-seers are forced to cut the time of the most of their help and they have no choice in the matter, and with all the conditions understood, it looks as if organized labor would lend its support to the 54-hour bill, purely out of principle.

Few mill workers receive enough pay during a week to afford excessive luxuries, and more find it difficult to make both ends meet. With a full knowledge that 56 hours or 58 hours are but a fair week's work, it is beyond our conception how the level-headed men and women will continue to be led astray as they are by their leaders. The labor agitation on the subject of the working week seems to be misunderstood. The help are given the impression that a law making a shorter week is just the same as an increase in wages as they should get just as much pay for 56 hours as for 58 hours. The same arguments are used to gain support for the 54 hour law now before the legislature, and the usual pretenses about the labor vote are being presented to the legislators.

It is possible that the law will pass, but if it does the Massachusetts legislature has a grave responsibility on its hands and organized labor is more apt to be sold against the members from the manufacturing districts, than for them, if they further decrease the working hours per week.

No manufacturer is likely to pay his five hundred to five thousand hands for hours during which no service is rendered any more than are the operatives going to work four hours a week for nothing, and if the textile manufacturing industry is to be so constantly regulated by law, its expansion will be seriously checked, as the managers of the mills and their shareholders will have no particular voice in the corporate management.

The manufacturing side of the textile

industry stands in exactly the same position as the tariff. It should be left alone until the recent changes have been adapted to working conditions. We need no more laws regulating manufacturing industries for five years at least.

## FINE CONCERT

ARRANGED AS OPENING FEATURE  
OF A. O. H. BAZAAR

At the musicale and concert of Irish airs which will be given in Associate hall on Sunday evening as the opening feature of the Ancient Order of Hibernians' bazaar, the following program will be carried out:

March, "Festival."  
Orchestra.  
Solo, "Ireland, I Love You."  
Master Edward Conley (Boy Soprano).  
Baritone solo, selected.  
Mr. Andrew McCarthy.  
Reading, "In Bohemia."  
Mr. Wm. F. Thornton.  
Tenor solo, "Believe Me."  
Mr. Harry Hopkins.  
Overture, "William Tell."  
Orchestra.  
Soprano solo, "Kilmarney."  
Miss Mary E. Whiteley.  
Tenor solo, "Minstrel Boy."  
Mr. John J. Dutton.  
Contralto solo, "Kathleen Mavourneen."  
Mrs. J. L. Roberts.  
Baritone solo, "Boys of Wexford."  
Mr. Jas. E. Donnelly.  
"Star Spangled Banner."  
Orchestra.  
Accompanist,  
Mr. John J. Kelly.  
Mr. James E. Donnelly will have charge of the affair.

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That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE.  
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Now is the time to plant shrubs and trees. We have all kinds at our nurseries in Kenwood and would be pleased to have you call and look them over. Take Lawrence car or leave your order at 6 Prescott street.

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55 Trimmed Hats, ..... \$10 Each	100 Trimmed Hats, ..... \$5.00 Each
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Our lines at this price are equal to \$25 suits and will stand comparison. Don't take our word—look for yourself. Made in all the newest cloths and cut in this spring's newest fashions.

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# Anniversary Sale in Bargainland Started Today



## RIFLE PRACTICE

Senate Passed Bill  
Calling for \$100,000

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The senate has passed unanimously the senate bill appropriating \$100,000 for rifle practice in the schools and universities of the country, and among civilian clubs. This bill has been endorsed by the war department and by the National Rifle association, and has received the support of President Taft and ex-President Roosevelt.

There are at the present time 33 universities, colleges and schools where army officers are detailed with an enrollment in the military department of 22,910. These include the agricultural schools which receive appropriations under the Morrill act. Of this number only 3239 receive outdoor instruction and 9748 gallery practice. In addition to the above institutions there are 28 private military schools with an approximate attendance of 2500. Through lack of proper facilities, such practice as they have is of little value.

The proposed appropriation is to be devoted to civilian and school boy rifle practice. An interesting exhibit of what is being done in other countries to promote rifle practice among civilians is being shown at the schools of the National Rifle association. In Canada the Dominion Rifle association receives annually from the Canadian government a subsidy of \$15,000, besides a full allowance of ammunition, amounting to 100,000 cartridges each year.

The government of Great Britain donates each year to the National Rifle association of that country 500,000 rounds of cartridges for use in the annual contests held at Bisley, and furnishes the Bisley meetings with soldiers to run the matches and camp equipage for the use of competitors. The National Rifle association of that country has an annual income, which last year amounted to nearly \$200,000. Affiliated with the National association are 200 minor associations and 1700 clubs. About 150 schools have cadet corps in which rifle practice is carried on and each year there is a contest among the schools for a trophy presented by Lord Ashburton. The National Rifle association of France has a reserve force of 50,000 civilian riflemen and appropriates \$500,000 annually for ammunition for their practice. The railroads in Australia give free transportation to members of the rifle clubs when traveling to and from the ranges. Forty thousand schoolboys are organized into cadet corps and are furnished arms and ammunition by the government and receive instruction in rifle practice.

In France the government issues rifles free to the rifle clubs, and last year the free issue of ammunition to such clubs cost the government \$100,000. The government also appropriates \$12,000 to the national society which is used for prizes and decorations. The departments cooperate in the teaching of rifle practice to the children. The war department helps with arms and ammunition, the department of interior with money and the department of public instruction by encouraging the development of rifle exercises in the schools. Boys under 17 years of age are furnished with the miniature rifle

## A LITTLE RED SPOT

Novel Experiment by Which It May Be Made to Disappear.

A peculiar feature about Poslam, the new skin discovery, is that no one is asked to buy it without first sending to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, for an experimental sample and applying same to an affected part of the skin, about the size of a silver dollar. It will clear the spot so treated in twenty-four hours—a remarkable visual demonstration of its powers.

While Poslam has been mentioned principally in connection with the cure of eczema, the most stubborn of skin diseases, it must be remembered that when used for itch, hives, pimples, blotches, acne, itching feet, scaly scalp, chafing of infants and similar minor skin troubles its action is all the more pronounced, results being seen after an overnight application. As only a small quantity of Poslam is necessary to cure such cases, a special fifty-cent package, usually sufficient, has been placed on sale at Falls & Burdick's, Carter & Sherburne's and other leading drug stores in Lowell and throughout the country.

and all over that age with the army rifle.

In 1882 the Italian government organized for the purpose of teaching all citizens to properly handle the military rifle. This organization is under the supervision of the secretary of war who has his headquarters in Rome. Total or partial exemption from military duty is given to members of the rifle clubs who have profitably taken shooting lessons for two years. Shooting

grounds are provided at the joint expense of the societies in the country where located and the government which also gives each branch of the national association, according to the number of members, sufficient rifles and bolts of ammunition at cost prices. The day for practice is always Sunday so the workmen can attend the meetings without losing a day's work. A military instructor is in charge to teach the rules of shooting, care of the rifle and individual and company drill. This instructor is an officer of the army and all shooting is carefully watched by him. Each year there are community matches; every two years inter-county matches and every five years a national civilian match. This match is generally held in Rome and the occasion is made a legal and popular holiday. The government gives free railroad tickets to representatives from the various branches while other marksmen who attend are allowed 75 per cent discount on the cost of railroad tickets. In the last match which lasted 15 days about 30,000 men took part. The list of prizes had among the donors the king and queen of Italy, members of parliament, the cities, the counties, the government, ladies of nobility, and others. The giving of the prizes is attended by the civil and military authorities. The king gives the prizes to the first three men in each class.

In Switzerland there are more than 3000 shooting societies with over 200,000 members. In 1902 the date of the last report received, 89,389 members qualified as marksmen. If the same ratio were maintained in proportion to population, the United States would have 4,280,000 marksmen.

The government of Sweden annually appropriates \$153,750 towards rifle practice which is apportioned among grants to rifle clubs, to the national

shooting societies, for ammunition, target ranges, target prizes, printing, etc. In 1905 there were 1850 rifle clubs in Sweden.

## EZRA MEEKER

TO RETRACE THE OLD OREGON TRAIL

PORTLAND, Or., April 1.—Ezra Meeker, Oregon pioneer, has left Portland in an ox team to retrace the old Oregon trail. On his way east he will set up metal markers along the old trail so that future generations

may not lose the route the pioneers followed to the Pacific coast.

This is a labor of love for Mr. Meeker. He first came to Oregon in a prairie schooner, drawn by an ox team, in 1853. He introduced the hon. industry into Washington and founded the town of Puyallup, the center of an extensive hop growing section. Mr. Meeker made a similar trip to the one he has just undertaken, in 1906. He had a duplicate of the old prairie schooner he brought west in 1853 made and retraced his journey to the east. His object was to arouse interest in the plan of marking the old Oregon trail in a permanent way and he was largely successful. Many places along the route set up monuments. It is to encourage further work along this line that Mr. Meeker has set out for a third trip across the continent by ox team.

The pioneer, who is willing to undertake such a journey at the age of 80 years, attracted a great deal of attention in the east on his last trip. At Washington he drove his ox team to the White House, where he was welcomed by President Roosevelt in November, 1907. In New York City, his two patient oxen drawing a prairie schooner caused an end of a sensation. Of course the first thing to do was to arrest him, the charge being that of bringing cattle upon the public streets.

Prominent men came to his aid, however, and the pioneer outfit was given the freedom of the city for 30 days. Along Broadway, Mr. Meeker and his oxen were a strange sight. At Philadelphia the aged pioneer was welcomed and was allowed to make camp in City Hall square.

April 3d is "quarter day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

## FOR COMMUNION SUNDAY

The committee in charge of the breakfast after the quarterly communion of St. Peter's Holy Name society on Sunday, April 10th, held a meeting last evening and discussed plans for the affair. Pres. Richard Lyons presided and various subcommittees were designated to have charge of the work. Secretary Bernard D. Ward announced that the double post cards would be issued in a few days and emphasized the necessity of prompt replies. Remarks were made by Pres. Lyons, Nicholas Kennedy, Joseph E. McVey and Thomas McGuire.

## CITY OF LOWELL

## Dogs

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Homespun, Cheviots, Soft-faced Woolens, in grays and gray mixtures, in pin check effects, new herringbone weaves, faint stripes on gray grounds, make these suits, from the very newness of the fabrics, extremely attractive. There are quiet worsteds in gray tones, blue serges and fancy weaves in blue, besides the wool goods.

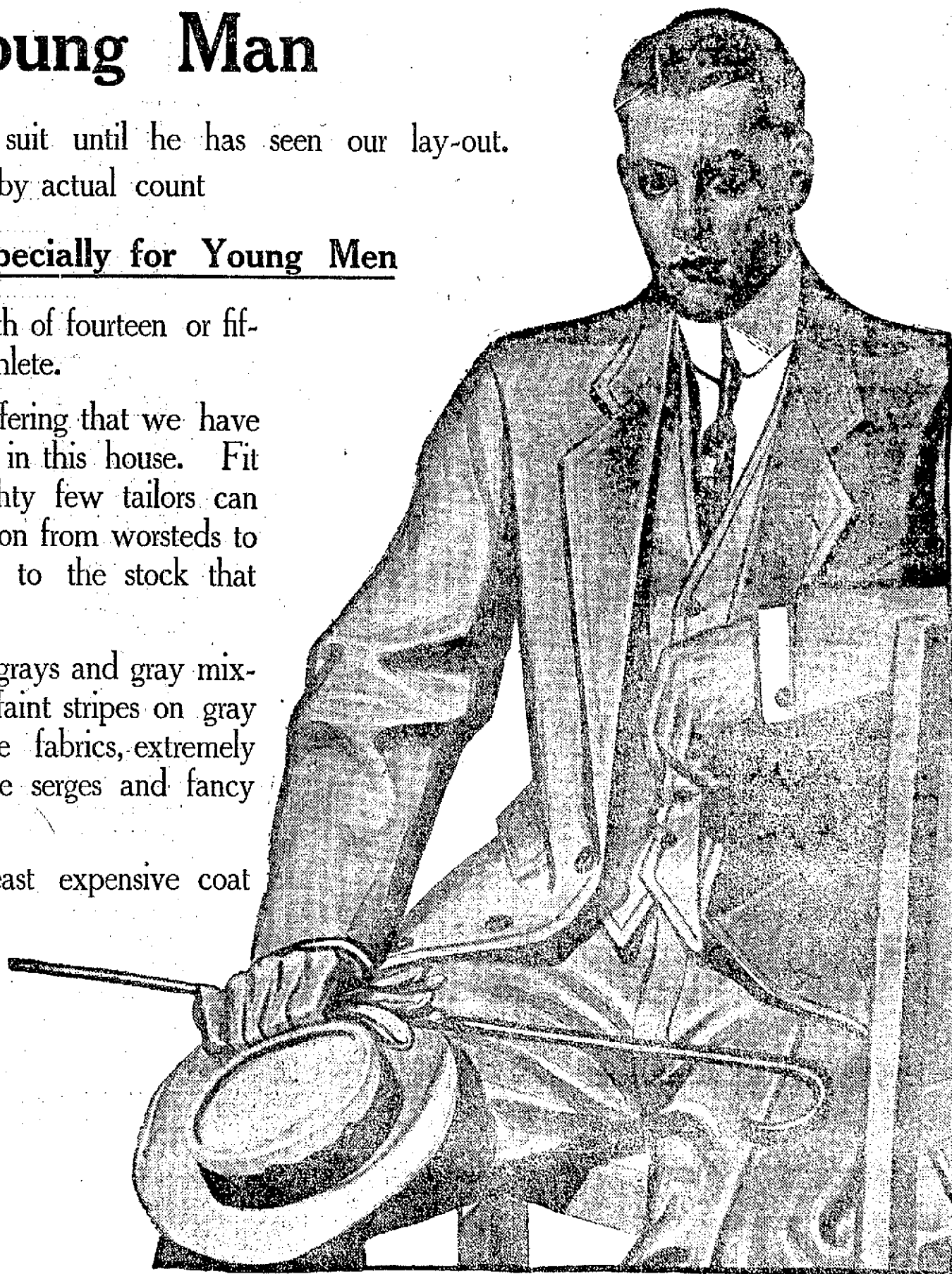
Throughout this stock you will find even the least expensive coat finished with a hand felled collar.

The surprise of all is the moderate prices for which these young men's suits are sold---made by ROGERS PEET & CO., and several specialists in young men's clothing. We have remarkable values in young men's suits for - - - \$8, \$10 and \$12

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to wear clothing as good as is on any man's back, who prefers patterns that are exclusive, and not to be had at any price in other clothing ready-made; who wants his suit to fit as it ought to fit if made by the most expensive merchant tailor---THAT MAN will be interested in our suits from ROGERS, PEET & CO. A broader variety than we've had before, and we believe the handsomest collection that we ever offered. American and English cheviots and cassimeres, new fabrics and new colorings, in designs that you can't find elsewhere. Prices most moderate, half in fact---what a good tailor would ask you---\$20 to \$40.





# SPANISH SWINDLE

## Lowell Man Was Asked to Take a Chance in Game

The Spanish swindlers with their venerable gag are at work again and Wm. Wilby of 68 Washington street, the well known manufacturer, has heard from them.

As Mr. Wilby does considerable business in Europe his name evidently got into the hands of the swindlers who immediately decided to find out how "easy" he might be.

Hence the following letter received by Mr. Wilby a few days ago:

Madrid, March 12, 1910.

Dear Sir:—Although I know you only from good references of your honesty my sad situation compels me to reveal you an important affair in which you can procure a modest fortune saving at the same time that of my darling daughter.

Before being imprisoned here I was established as a banker in Russia, as you will see by the enclosed article about me, of many English newspapers which have published my arrest in London.

I beseech you to help me to obtain a sum of \$480,000 I have in America and to come here to raise the seizure of my baggage, paying to the registrar of the court the expenses of my trial and recover my portmanteau containing a secret pocket where I have hidden the document indispensable to recover the said sum.

As a reward I will give up to you the third part, viz. \$160,000. I cannot receive your answer in the prison but you must send a cablegram to a person of my confidence who will deliver it to me.

Awaiting your cable to instruct you in all my secret, I am, sir,

Yours truly,

First of all answer by cable, not by letter, as follows:

Gasolvez, Jacometrezo 23 tercero A, Madrid.

Particulars: Wilby.

The enclosed newspaper clipping as follows:

Some months ago, as our readers may remember, we referred in these columns to the great scandal caused in St. Petersburg, and in Russia generally, by a noted banker who, after leaving a deficit of over five millions of rubles.

The Russian police sought for him for a long time in vain for it seems he had not left the least trace of his flight and the continued search over Europe and America proved unavailing.

Yesterday, however, a Spanish inspector accompanied by two officers from Scotland Yard and acting under instructions of the Spanish ambassador,

who had previously interviewed the home secretary arrested him on his way from the hotel where he was staying, to the steamship office. It seems that it was his intention to take passage for New York. From information received by the ambassador, he had been in hiding in Spain, where he lived with a woman and with his daughter. A few days before arriving in London he had quarrelled with another Russian, who was mortally wounded by a revolver shot during the scuffle, and who only lived long enough to denounce his assailant.

In an interview with the Russian ambassador, it seems that the name he had been using in Spain was not his real one, Manassina being simply an alias, but after comparing the prisoner with photographs in his possession, the Russian ambassador, recognized him as Alex. Demidoff, the criminal banker who eloped with five millions of rubles. He is a native of St. Petersburg, a widower, 48 years old, with an only daughter, whom he left in Spain on escaping from that country.

On being arrested, two of Manassina's or Alex. Demidoff's portmanteaus were seized but although strictly searched nothing but personal effects were found in them, in spite of which the Russian ambassador declares that the prisoner ought to have several million rubles somewhere.

The Russian and Spanish ambassadors conferred yesterday evening as to whether the prisoner should be conveyed to Spain or to Russia, and after an interview with the home secretary and in accordance with the extradition treaty of England, Russia and Spain, it was agreed that the prisoner should be conveyed to Spain, to stand his trial, but that only after the Russian government ask Spain, through diplomatic channels, for his extradition.

It is needless to state that Mr. Wilby has not accepted the tempting offer, but his dignity is rattled to think that even a low down scoundrel would take him for an easy mark.

**APRIL FOOL PARTY**  
The members of Miss Mary J. Martin's Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian church held an April Fool party, in the vestry of the church last night. Practically a full membership of the class was in attendance and the affair was an exceptionally enjoyable one.

Don't forget the prize waltz, Association, Sat. night.

## PRESIDENT TAFT

Explains Power of the Eastern States

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Taft in an address before the Ohio Society of Washington last night pointed out that the dominating power of the eastern states in congress lies in the fact that they keep men in office when they place them there. His words caused a mild sensation. He contrasted the influence of the east in legislative affairs with that of the west and attributed the supremacy of the former to the continuous service of legislative representatives.

"Why is it," asked the president, "that the small states of the east exercise so much power in congress? It is not because an eastern man has any more capacity in the matter of legislation than a western man. It is because when the eastern states get a good representative they keep him as long as he lives, and then he has an influence that vastly exceeds the more numerical representation of population."

Sen. Charles Dick grasped the president's hand and shook it enthusiastically. This term expires with this congress and he has a hard fight ahead for re-election. Mr. Taft said to the assemblage:

"Senator Dick has just told me that he heartily endorses everything I have said on this subject."

**KLING TO REPORT**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—John Kling, the Chicago National catcher who has just been reinstated has wired Manager Chance that he will report here for duty on Sunday.

Kittredge's, Associate, Sat. night.

**"HOLY HOUR"**

POPULAR SERVICE AT ST. PETER'S THIS EVENING

At the "Holy Hour" service tonight at St. Peter's church a particularly fine musical program will be presented and judging by the increased congregations at each service tonight's gathering will tax the capacity of the great edifice. The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock and will be under the direction of Rev. John F. O'Brien. The "Holy Hour" services of St. Peter's are held on the evening of every first Friday of the month and are noted for the excellence of the music given, the church and vested choirs giving separate programs with solo features by noted singers from other places.

**CITY IN DARKNESS**

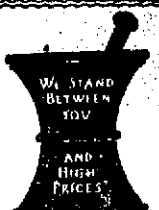
DOVER FIREMEN HARNESSSED UP BY LANTERN LIGHT

DOVER, N. H., April 1.—About 9:45 last night this city was plunged in darkness, all the arc lights and the incandescent commercial circuit being cut off by a fire in the power station of the Twin State Gas and Electric company on Cocheco street. The fire companies had to hitch up by lantern light, but made good time. The blaze was in the upper portion of the boiler room and was confined to the woodwork in and near the roof. A big hole was burned in the roof, but the blaze was extinguished before serious damage resulted. The origin of the fire is as yet unknown. Crossed wires are thought to have caused it. The turbine generators were undamaged and the lights were restored at 10:25.

The damage, which may not exceed \$1000, is covered by insurance.

**WANT MORE PAY**

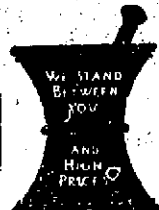
CINCINNATI, April 1.—A committee representing the union has presented demands for an increase in wages to engineers in the employ of the Big Four railroad. General Manager Van Winkle has taken the demands under advisement.



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Bay Rum, 1 pt. . . 39c  
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75c Eskay's Food . . . 59c  
\$1.00 Rexall Wine C. L. Oil . . . 89c  
\$1.50 Fellows' Syrup . . . 98c  
\$1.00 Horl. Malted Milk . . . 75c  
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\$1.00 Coke's Dan. Cure . . . 66c  
\$1.00 Hood's Sarsaparilla . . . 85c  
50c Poland Water . . . 45c  
50c Palm Killer . . . 36c  
Rexall "93" Hair Tonic . . . 50c

\$1.00 Herpicide . . . 59c  
\$1.00 Listerine . . . 58c  
\$1.00 Rexall Pet. Emul. . . 50c  
75c Mellin's Food . . . 55c  
50c Minard's Lin. . . 36c  
\$1.00 Pinkham's Comp. . . 56c  
35c Fletcher's Castoria . . . 25c  
\$1.00 Nerves . . . 69c  
\$1.00 Rexall Mucostone . . . 39c  
60c Bovinine . . . 45c  
\$1.00 Dandarine . . . 68c  
50c Bromo Seltzer . . . 39c  
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Ext. Witch Hazel, pt. . . 75c  
Pure Cod Liver Oil, qt. . . 59c  
Castor Oil, pt. . . 25c  
Wood Alcohol, qt. . . 30c  
Denatured Alcohol, gal. . . 75c  
Lime Water, gal. . . 40c  
Senna Leaves, 1-4 lb. . . 15c  
Licorice Drops, lb. . . 25c  
Lavender Flowers, lb. . . 35c  
Powd. Orris Root, lb. . . 50c  
Boric Acid, lb. . . 25c  
Epsom Salts, lb. . . 8c

Cream Tartar, lb. . . 29c  
Powd. Borax, lb. . . 11c  
Rochelle Salts, 1-2 lb. . . 20c  
Ext. Witch Hazel, pt. . . 15c  
Soda Phosphate, lb. . . 15c  
Oxalic Acid, lb. . . 20c  
Sal Ammoniac, 2 lbs. . . 25c  
Tr. Green Soap, pt. . . 75c  
Catnip, lb. . . 35c  
Horehound, lb. . . 35c  
Boneset, lb. . . 35c  
Henna Leaves, 1-4 lb. . . 15c  
Chalk (Precipitated) lb. . . 25c  
Camphorated Oil, 1-2 pt. . . 35c  
Pure Glycerine, pt. . . 34c

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25c Cuticura Soap . . . 18c  
25c Rexall Pearl Tooth Pow. 17c  
\$1.50 Oriental Cream . . . 98c  
25c Ku-te-lave Soap . . . 15c  
25c Sorodent . . . 16c  
25c Lyon's Tooth Powder . . . 15c  
75c Bath Brush . . . 59c  
25c Colgate's Dental Cream . . . 20c  
50c Hair Brush . . . 39c

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**LIGGETT'S CHOCOLATES**  
At 80c the lb.  
Indisputably delicious chocolates packed in an exquisite box.

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\$1.25 Hot Water Bottle . . . 98c  
\$1.75 Elastic Truss . . . \$1.19  
75c Rubber Gloves . . . 50c  
\$1.50 Crutches, pair . . . 79c  
25c Sanitary Napkins . . . 19c  
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<b>"YANKEE CONSUL"</b> London—Perfecto 4 for 25c Is making a big hit all over New England. Have YOU tried one yet?	<b>"LADY CURZON"</b> Mild—Domestic PERFECT SHAPE 3 for 25c Has a pleasant individuality of its own.	<b>"LOUIS K"</b> 5c Straight Box of 25 for \$1.15 The equal of most of the advertised 5 for 25c brands.	<b>"LA PROVIDENCIA"</b> Clear Havana—Tampa Made A very high grade cigar; very popular with particular men. Selected Size 3 for 25c
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## WOLTER PLEADS NOT GUILTY

NEW YORK, April 1.—Albert W. Wolter today pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with having murdered fifteen-year-old Ruth Wheeler after two motions to throw out the indictment had been made by his counsel and denied by Judge Mulqueen. Wolter was remanded to the Tombs. Assistant District Attorney Frank Moss says he will be ready to go on with the prosecution by April 11. The police today stated that they had traced another girl to Wolter's flat but are unable to find out what became of her. The detectives give her name as Elsie Schwartz. She is said to have called at Wolter's flat the day before Ruth Wheeler was killed.

## MORE INDICTMENTS EXPECTED

PITTSBURG, April 1.—With the confessions of William Brand and Charles Stewart and the evidence of P. B. Kearns before them, all of whom are former councilmen, and with Hugh Ferguson, also a former city father, seeking the district attorney to make a statement, it is expected that the grand jury, investigating municipal corruption which resumed its sessions today, will return a final presentment within 24 hours, revealing the remainder of the graft story.

Accompanying the presentment it is expected will come additional indictments of the men who are alleged to have paid money to councilmen for the naming of five city depositories.

## EXPEDITION ABANDONED

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—Following the announcement last night that Nicaraguan insurgent representatives here have abandoned the proposed expedition to strengthen the Estrada army, it is reported that about 100 men have been recruited and are keenly disappointed at not being able to get closer to the firing line. General Gordon, the American, probably will return to the front by the next boat to Bluefields.

## TO INQUIRE INTO STRIKE

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Responsive to the request for help to settle the dispute between the various railroads serving New York city and their employes engaged in the ferryboat branch who have sent in their resignations, Sec. Nagle of the department of commerce and labor has assigned Solicitor Charles Earl to look into the situation. A report from Mr. Earl is expected by the secretary during the day. The revised statutes specifically provide that if any licensed officer shall, to the hindrance of commerce, wrongfully or unreasonably refuse to serve in his official capacity as warranted by his license or fails to deliver to the applicant for such service, if demanded, sufficient reasons, the license shall be revoked.

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# THE INSURANCE PROBE

## William H. Buckley Still Prominent Figure in Inquiry

NEW YORK, April 1.—Although William H. Buckley finished as a witness two days ago he still persists as a prominent figure in the insurance investigation. Before the inquiry was resumed today Supr. of Insurance Hotchkiss indicated his intention of finding out whether it would be correct to assume from yesterday's late testimony, that Buckley in 1908 was still active in connection with insurance legislation at Albany when as had been testified he was not registered as a legislative agent as the law now re-

quires. No record of any payment to Buckley in this connection after 1905 when he says he retired from the field has been found. It was thought that Mr. Hotchkiss might try to bring out further today the evident connection between surety and life insurance activities in Albany during a series of years prior to 1905. The name of Andy Hamilton, so conspicuous in life insurance annals which appeared frequently yesterday in conjunction with Buckley's, suggested the "new lead" to the superintendent.

# 300,000 ARE IDLE

## Coal Miners Quit Their Work at Midnight

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 1.—Three hundred thousand miners in the bituminous coal fields of the United States suspended work and demanded higher wages last night, according to the official statement given out at the headquarters in this city of the United Mine Workers of America. Simultaneously the national officers of the organization, who had been in secret session here for two days, departed for their respective states to advise the miners in the district conferences with the mine operators.

President Thomas I. Lewis made the following estimate of the number of miners affected by the suspension of work: Western and Central Pennsylvania, 100,000; Ohio, 47,000; Indiana, 18,000; West Virginia, 10,000; Illinois, 12,000; Iowa, 15,000; Michigan, 9,000; Kansas, Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma, 25,000; Colorado, 500; Western Kentucky, 5,000; total, 300,000.

# WILLIAM C. RUSSELL

## Says New Claimant to Estate is Not His Brother

BOSTON, April 1.—"This man is not my brother," was the declaration said to have been made by William C. Russell after a four hours' talk yesterday with the Fresno, Cal., man who claims he is Daniel Blake Russell, son of the late Daniel Russell of Fresno, Cal. The California man endeavored to show that he and not a Dickinson, N. D., man who claims to be the same Daniel Blake Russell is co-heir to the \$750,000 estate of Daniel Russell. Arriving here but two days ago, the claimant from Fresno added a new sensation to the case. The North Dakota man is the claimant who has been before the East Cambridge probate court in the famous contest for the past six months.

William Russell and the man who has been living in California for the past 15 years under the name of J. D. Johnson met in his attorney's office yesterday. There others present were Mrs. Edward Avery of Chicago, who knew Daniel Russell in childhood, Miss Sarah Almy, cousin of and housekeeper for W. C. Russell; Thomas W. Proctor, John K. Berry and Eugene C. Upton, attorney for the estate; and William Odlin and George W. Cartwright, the new claimant's lawyers.

State Senator Cartwright of California gravely introduced his client to William Russell as your brother, Daniel Blake Russell. The Fresno man shook hands with dignified courtesy but gave no outward sign of recognition or emotion. The new claimant then told his story and was subjected to numerous questions but no answers as to whether his statements were correct were given.

He finally broke down and asked William Russell to identify him as his long-lost brother but the latter only shook his head negatively.

When the interview was over the Fresno man left the office in an exhausted condition. It was then that William Russell was said to have stated the man was not his brother.

The new claimant's lawyers refuse to make any statement. It is understood that there will be another meeting between the two men.

# GREAT SURPRISE

## Strike of Painters in Marlboro

MARLBORO, April 1.—A strike that came as a great surprise to the general public was declared today when every painter in Marlboro quit work. The men who are members of the painters' union and number between 50 and 60 demand an increase in wages from \$2.50 and \$2.50 a day which they are now receiving to \$3 for six eight-hour days a week.

# ACCEPTS CALL

## REV. JAMES BANCROFT COMING TO THIS CITY

Rev. James Bancroft, of St. John's Episcopal church, Providence, R. I., has accepted a call to St. John's Episcopal church, this city, and will preach his first sermon as rector of the local church on May 22. He preached here several weeks ago and the congregation voted unanimously to ask him to come. St. John's has been without a pastor since July 1, when Rev. L. C. Manchester concluded his services there.

# LADIES' AFTERNOON SOCIAL

The Ladies' Afternoon Social club held a very pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. A. D. Gendle in Marlboro street, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Edward E. Smith, who is about to leave Lowell for the summer months, was the central figure. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Worth in Middlesex park.

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## A NEW METHOD For the Treatment of Hydrophobia

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 1.—Dr. James Cumming, director of the Pasteur Institute of the university of Michigan, today announced the discovery of a new method for the treatment of hydrophobia. The new treatment, Dr. Cumming said, shortens the time of treatment by one week. Dr. Cumming uses a virus prepared from spinal tissues from a rabid animal. This is injected into the patient. The virus is said to have been used in several cases recently with marked success.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

IF YOU WANT to buy a farm, city property of any kind, large or small; boarding or lodging houses, call and see G. H. Hubbard, 44 Central st.

MADAME BRETTON, world's greatest palmist and card reader. 500 sittings this week 25c. 392 Bridge st. in rear, opposite Third st.

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SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought, sold and exchanged. Call or send card. F. Gallagher, 180 Gorham st. Tel. 962-2.

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HOUSE CLIPPING—The only power shop. 100 Wille st.

CASH PAID for furniture, carpets, stoves and ranges. Write, call or phone. 2066. C. Welcome, 198 Broadway.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

FOR SALE LOT OF SECOND-HAND LUMBER, and body, axle and wheels of a two-horse dump cart, for sale cheap. Inquire at 842 Middlesex st. S. R. Puffer.

LIGHT RAYMA EGGS for sale, for hatching. Address X. X. Sun Office, 102 North Main road.

## ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

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AN OLD-TOWN CANOE for sale cheap. Call evenings at 65 Andrews st.

BOARDING HOUSE of 21 rooms for sale, furnished, and in the best of condition. Address X. X. Sun Office.

GOOD LODGING HOUSE for sale. \$350. Rooms all lot. Or will lease a part if desired. Address X. X. Sun Office.

GROCERY STORE for sale, doing a good business. Call 270 Salem st.

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Our transactions are always between the borrower and ourselves, and we never yet failed to make a loan within a few hours notice when necessary. The fact that our former customers are our best customers, coming to us and sending their friends after their first transaction, proves that we know how to treat people properly. No loan can be satisfactory if courtesy and consideration are not guaranteed. Our dealings with you are all made in a clean, straight-forward manner, free of sham, pretense and trickery, and with a desire to be a helpful institution to anyone needing our kind of service. If we cannot help you we shall not harm you.

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7-ROOM COTTAGE to let at 41 Fruit st., near the grocery. Bath, pantry and living room, good repair. Inquire on premises.

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FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 17 First street. Apply on premises.

MODERN 4-ROOM FLAT to let, bath, hot water, set tubs, at Davis square, Gorham and Central sts. Inquire of F. W. Barrows, 1030 Central st.

LOWER TENEMENT of 7 rooms to let in first class condition, set tubs, open plumbing on upper part of Broadway. Apply to Charles M. Etakine, Room 3, Central Block.

STORE AND TENEMENT to let, 100 Lakeview ave., at 110 a month. Charles Chisholm, 117 Duane st.

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FLATS TO LET—Three and four rooms each, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per week. Inquire at 801 Lakeview ave.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE 6-ROOM COTTAGE, modern two-tenement house, 8-room house, all modern conveniences, 4 tenement block, all in Centralville, for sale. Call 24 West st.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the Honorable the Justices of the said Court, and all other persons interested in the estate of Rose A. Galligan, otherwise called Rose Galligan, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate. Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Thomas Galligan, of Canton, in the County of Norfolk, or to some other suitable person. And the petition is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court. Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten. J. Joseph O'Connor, Attorney.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. By virtue of a license granted to me by the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex dated September 14, 1899, will be sold at public auction upon the premises in Carlisle in said County at two o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, the nineteenth day of April, 1910, the following described real estate: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in the western part of Carlisle in said County of Middlesex containing sixty-five (65) acres, more or less, being the same premises described in a deed from Joel Horton and others to Abel A. Hodgman, the deceased husband of the herein named Rosannah Hodgman, deceased, dated January 17, 1881, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, in Book 145, Page 345, reference to which deed is hereby made for a particular description of said premises. Terms made known at sale. FRANK H. BILLINGTON, Administrator of the estate of Rosannah Hodgman.

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Sealed proposals will be received until 10 a. m., Monday, April 4th, 1910, at office of Supply Department for furnishing the following goods to the City of Lowell:

Req. 46,045. City Farm. 6 doz. men's trousers. 2 doz. 38 in., 2 doz. 36 in., 2 doz. 34 in. Submit sample.

Req. 45,071. Fire Dept. 200 bush. No. 1 clipped oats; must be clean and free from barley. Engine 4, High street. Submit sample.

Req. 46,061. Health Dept. 500 bush No. 1 clipped oats; must be clean and free from barley. Submit sample.

Req. 46,047. School Dept. 2 doz. heavy galvanized iron pails, 12 qt. Submit sample.

Req. 46,035. Sower Dept. 6 doz. white lantern globes. 6 doz. red lantern globes. To be etched "Sewer Dept., Lowell." Submit sample.

Req. 45,054. Sewer Dept. 2 doz. catch basin dipper; sample at tool house.

50 boxes Dupont Victor Electric Fuses; double strength, 50 fuses in each box, as follows: 10 boxes 10 ft. wires. 20 boxes 6 ft. wires. 20 boxes 4 ft. wires.

Req. 46,083. City Farm. 5 doz. caps, light weight. 2 doz. No. 7, 1 doz. No. 6 1/2, 1 doz. 7 1/2, 1 doz. 7 1/4. Submit sample.

Req. 45,990. Street Dept. 5 doz. 10 in. crucible steel scraping hoes. Submit sample.

1 doz. 11 in. crucible steel scraping hoes. Submit sample.

Req. 46,052. Water Works Dept. 1000 ft. 1 in. Byers' galvanized iron pipe.

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Six No. 6 Danolus pitcher pumps. All bids submitted to be in sealed envelopes, plain marked on outside kind of material upon which bid is submitted.

PETER A. MACKENZIE, Chief of the Supply Dept. Lowell, Mass., March 31st, 1910. Price walls, Associate, Sal. high



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## LOCAL NEWS

Tobin's Printery, Associate Building, Got your hat at DeLorme's.

Next week is "quarter week" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 353 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

Dr. Wm. L. Rombough has returned from a very pleasant ten days' trip south.

John J. Delaney, the merchant tailor of the Mansur block is very ill at St. John's hospital from blood poisoning resulting from paring a corn too deeply.

Larkin T. Trull of the law firm of Trull & Wier, has been confined to his home for some days by an attack of the grip. His friends hope to see him out by Monday.

## SENATOR ABBOTT

DIED AT HIS HOME IN BOSTON TODAY

BOSTON, April 1.—With heart trouble less than a week State Sen. G. B. Abbott, aged 46, died at his home in this city today. He is survived by a wife and two children.

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A LITTLE VIXEN  
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THE DRESS SUIT MYSTERY  
Ten Cents—That's All

## Musical and Concert

OF IRISH AIRS

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## At Associate Hall

Sunday Evening, April 3

In aid of the A. O. H. Building Fund.

## Admission 25 Cents

Doors open at 7. Tickets may be procured from members at the box office.

The program which is printed in another column is under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly.

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Presented by the Pupils of the High School

FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT 2:30

Admission 15 Cents

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